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GIRL WHO FLED WITH MINISTER

For Her the Rev. Jere Knode Cooke Abandoned Wife and Pastorate.

TEAMSTERS' VICTORY

HOLD WOMAN IN $1,500 IN FRAUD CHARGE

Fleeced Clothing Concerns by Death of Fictitious Son, Say Witnesses.

The alleged death of a fictitious son was used by Mrs. Adah Goding of No. 44 Isabella street in a scheme to defraud clothing merchants, according to evidence upon which that woman was held in bonds of $1,500 to the Federal Grand Jury by United States Commissioner Hayes to-day.

The testimony showed that Mrs. Goding wrote to several clothing firms. She told them that her son had bought a suit from them and had then died. She asked the clothing merchants to buy back from her the suits her son had bought. The prosecution charged to-day that by this means Mrs. Goding had secured money from several firms in Boston and its vicinity.

Commissioner Hayes held her in $1,500 bonds which she gave.

One of the witnesses against Mrs. Goding was Mrs. Annie Holland, a chambermaid, who testified that Mrs. Goding had told her that she had no son.

CHLOROFORM AND BIND BOY; RANSACK HOUSE

BURGLARY OF PITTSFIELD MANSION FRUSTRATED AFTER YEGGS GATHERED LOOT.

Special to the Boston American.

PITTSFIELD, May 17.—Bound, gagged and chloroformed, Frank Couch, an eighteen-year-old Williston Academy student, who is spending a vacation with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Hadley J. Couch at their home on North street, was overpowered and left senseless by robbers at his home last night.

The family spent the evening at home and retired early. Shortly before midnight Mrs. Couch aroused her husband, telling him that Frank was moaning. Dr. Couch went into the boys' room and found him lying face downward across his bed, bound hand and foot with ropes, gagged with a corner of the sheet and practically unconscious from chloroform.

Left Loot Behind.

Dr. M. L. Woodruff, a neighbor, was called at once, and the boy was restored to consciousness, but had no recollection of having been attacked. Dr. Woodruff said that the boy had very evidently been drugged while asleep and then tied and gagged.

His wrists were badly cut by his struggles to get loose.

Dr. Couch turned on the lights all over the house and armed with a revolver, made an investigation. On entering the dining room on the first floor, he found the family plate, all of his wife's jewelry and some valuable cut glass piled on the table ready to be packed and carried away.

He also found a front window leading to the piazza open, although he remembered having closed and locked it upon retiring.

Scared at His Work.

The police were immediately notified, and it was learned from a neighbor that a strange man had been seen on the Couch piazza in the afternoon and then disappeared.

It is thought that he, possibly with a companion, gained entrance to the house at that time, gathered most of his booty and secreted himself in a large closet off young Couch's room.

The awakening of the family and the turning on of the lights evidently frightened the intruder, and he made his escape.

The efforts are so slight that it seems to me that this strike could be settled at once," Master Colt said.

Nothing came from his suggestion and the injunction hearings are still going on.

The only arbitration means left are the steps which may be taken sometime by the State Board of Arbitration. If this should fail, business men may be compelled to do a little thinking. Already a large number have announced themselves as in favor of action to bring the strike to quick settlement.

HUGO EVADES REAL ISSUE.

Accordingly the imported strike-breakers are going back to New York. There are said to be only about 125 now quartered on board the Zealandia, and the removal of that craft from the Jay line wharf is expected within a few days.

Several of the master teamsters have been trying for the last week to get experienced drivers from various parts of New England, and quite a few have already gone to work.

That the Master Teamsters of Greater Boston are evading the real issue and are doing their utmost to "annihilate the Team Drivers' Union" is the declaration of Business Agent Daniel J. Tobin of the union.

"The fight that the employers are waging is not against the closed shop at all," he said. "But we are not daunted. We will yet win. Campaigning on such issues as to conscience put forward will not gain the support of the community. We are confident of victory in spite of the efforts of the Master Teamsters to prevent a settlement of the present strike."

President George L. Hugo's letter of yesterday, repeating his assertions of the past few days that all outside influences looking toward a strike settlement would be disregarded, and again declaring that the "real issue is the open shop," was followed up by a reply from Business Agent Tobin, as follows:

TOBIN DEFENDS UNION.

"It is suggested by Mr. Hugo, president of the Employers' Association,

that I withdraw from the controversy between the Master Teamsters and Local 25. Mr. Hugo's objections seem to be against the system of doing business rather than against the individual who is acting as agent for Local 25. His suggestion calls for the breaking up of the organization and the advice to the individual teamster to go an hustle for himself, without the aid of his fellow-craftsmen.

"All same men, and I agree with Mr. Hugo, concede the right of an individual to contract for the disposal of his own labor on terms satisfactory to himself. We do so as blind an to deny the right of several individuals to form an organization and to contract for the disposal of their labor collectively; and if they choose to do so is it not absolutely necessary that they should appoint an agent or authorize some person to act for them?

CLOSED SHOP NOT ISSUE.

"We have no objection to a Master Teamsters' Association or an Employers' Association, or any other organization which conducts itself with a due regard for the rights of others. We set a high premium on truthfulness, and we reiterate that the closed shop has never entered into this controversy, nor the right of any employer concerned to hire or discharge whomsoever he pleased, however much Mr. Hugo may try to cloud the issue.

"Mr. Hugo, the fight that the Employers' Association is waging is not against the 'closed shop,' but is an attempt to annihilate a labor union."

A number of striking teamsters are now bending their efforts to organize a cooperative teaming company to compete with the Master Teamsters' firms. A forerunner of one of the "struck firms" is said to be willing to go over to the strikers and become a party to the enterprise.

Mandell & Co. Yield to Drivers and Men Go Back to Work—Other Firms Hold Out.

Although the master teamsters have refused to arbitrate their differences with their striking employes, the members of the union have won the first victory.

C. M. Mandell, whose men went on strike last Monday, has signed the agreement, and all of the firm's teams are in service to-day. After a consultation with the officers of the union, Mr. Mandell agreed to the wages and hours asked for by the men when they went on strike and they at once returned to work.

By the action of the other master teamsters who refused to accept the offer of the Civic Federation of New England to secure a conference with the strikers, the union believes that its position has been strengthened. When the letter was received at union headquarters prompt response was secured from the officers that they would willingly present their side of the case to the Federation.

ARBITRATION "UNNECESSARY."

On the other hand, the master teamsters answered that such offfer on the part of the Federa on was "unnecessary."

This is the second time that the employers have refused offers to settle the strike without delay. Master James R. Cole, who is taking testimony relative to the merits of the complaints against the team drivers, suggested to Attorney Feeley that he endeavor to get his clients to meet with the representatives of the drivers and come to some agreement.

3 BOYS HELD FOR THROWING ROCKS AT A STRIKE BREAKER

Two small boys who are alleged to have thrown stones at the strike-breaking driver of a truck that was passing through A street, South Boston, were before Judge Fallon to-day, charged with assault and battery on some person unknown. Patrolman Buckley was the complainant.

The boys were Benjamin H. Hartley, aged fourteen years, of No. 191 Dorchester, who lives at No. 44 Silver street.

The officer had a conference with Judge Fallon, both boys were ordered to recognize in the sum of $500, and the case was continued until to-morrow, both having pleaded not guilty.

Hartley's parents secured bonds, but young Perkins had to go to the Charles Street Jail.

Carl Johnson, fifteen years, of No. 29 A street, has been at the Jail since yesterday. He was arrested yesterday by the same officer, on the same charge. It is said that the three lads were together.

Patrolman Buckley had a long chase to get young Johnson. In the meantime the driver against whom the missiles are said to have been directed, got away. There is no record at the station that he made complaint. Search will be made for him to-day.

THOUGHT HOTEL SUICIDE WAS ELOPING PASTOR

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, May 17.—Despite the remarkable resemblance of the man who committed suicide in a Bowery lodging house by shooting himself to the Rev. Jere Knode Cooke, the eloping pastor of Hempstead, friends of Cooke who looked at the body to-day said it was not the clergyman.

The man was taken from the Star Hotel at No. 95 Bowery to-day after he had shot himself through the right temple. He had entered the hotel but a few minutes before. His dress and gentleness of manner caused much attention, as the new guest was entirely different from usual patrons of the place.

Found Shot in Temple.

He entered the place early to-day and spoke in soft tones to the bartender. He then went to the rear of the place. A pistol shot rang out, and, rushing back, the bartender found the stranger lying face downward. An ambulance from Gouverneur Hospital was summoned. The surgeon said that death had come within a few minutes after the fatal shot was fired.

To aid the police in making the identification, the New York Evening Journal sent a recent photograph of the eloping pastor to the Morgue. The officials were more than ever convinced that the suicide was none other than Dr. Cooke.

The dead man's hair was long and wavy. The Rev. Dr. Cooke wore a long lock that hung over his high forehead. The brow of the dead man is high and intellectual looking. His hands were recently manicured and he bore every evidence of being engaged in professional work.

So that there would not be the slightest chance of any one learning his identity, the suicide destroyed every piece of paper that would furnish a clew. A silver watch, a gold-plated chain, a latch key, bone handle penknife, a box of cartridges and a new pistol, which had evently been purchased by the man for the express purpose of killing himself, and $4.90 in cash were found on the body.

MAYOR SCHMITZ HAS RESIGNED, SAYS REPORT

San Francisco to Be Governed by Commission of Seven Men.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 17.—The Call to-day publishes a statement to the effect that Mayor Schmitz has handed over the reins of power to a committee of seven prominent citizens, underwritten authorization to manage the Government. This is now composed of F. B. Anderson, F. W. Dohrmann, Benjamin T. Morgan, F. W. Van Sicklen, Louis Rosenfeld, C. H. Bentley and Charles W. Slack. Anderson, Morgan and Rosenfeld are merchants, Bentley is president of the Chamber of Commerce, and Slack is a former Superior Court Judge and stands high in the legal profession.

Preliminary steps have been taken by the committee to remove Chief of Police Dinan and make much needed changes in the police force, which has not only not been efficient but has been a disgrace to the city is governed under the charter.

It is said that Mayor Schmitz was induced to take this step by Governor Gillett. Schmitz is on the verge of nervous and physical collapse as the result of the long strain and the confession of Ruef. He will be called into court Monday to face trial on the charge of extortion.

For further details of the San Francisco scandal see page 7.

DYNAMITE SAFE; GET $500 AT SALISBURY

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TAKES UP CHASE OF POSTOFFICE ROBBER GANG.

SALISBURY, May 17.—The boldest robbery in the history of Salisbury occurred early to-day, when burglars broke into the postoffice in the heart of the village, blew open the safe with nitro-glycerine and escaped with more than $500 in money and stamps.

They left nothing behind them by which their movements could be traced.

Before breaking into the postoffice they entered the stable of former Postmaster George H. Monitor. There they stole carriage robes and horse blankets. They carried these to the postoffice and wrapped them about the safe to deaden the noise of the explosion.

Safe Mass of Ruins.

When Postmaster A. B. Cossin went to open the postoffice to-day he found the safe was a mass of ruins and that the desk and table in his room in the office had been hurled about by the explosion. Glass in the windows was broken.

Every dollar and every stamp had been taken from the safe.

Postmaster Cossin at once telegraphed to Chief Postal Inspector Lethemann, reporting the robbery to him, and asking that a postal inspector be sent from Boston to work upon the case. Word was later received from Chief Letherman that an inspector would be sent here.

The break was the first that had occurred here in two years. The last time that burglars entered the town they robbed one of the stores.

The local authorities have not been able to find whether the men that robbed the postoffice came to town in an automobile or in a carriage.

At Loss for Clues.

No suspicious persons were seen about the village yesterday, and the authorities are at a loss in their effort to find some trace of the burglars.

During the time the burglars were at work upon the safe they might have been seen from the street.

So far as the authorities have been able to learn no one saw strangers enter or leave the village, and nothing unusual was noticed until the postmaster went to open the postoffice for business to-day.

It is believed that the break was the work of a gang of postoffice robbers that has been operating in Massachusetts and Rhode Island for several months.

More than twenty postoffices in small places have been robbed, but as yet the secret service agents of the government have been unable to run down and capture any member of the gang.

WAS FIRST HIBERNIAN IN SOMERVILLE

Funeral services were to-day held over the remains of Bernard S. McGrath, the first Hibernian in Somerville, and founder of Division 17, of that city, in St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church. The Rev. P. W. Linehan officiated at the high mass of requiem. Interment was in Holy Cross Cemetery, Malden.

Prominent among those who attended the funeral mass of this well-known Irishman was Professor Charles Pillsbury Norton, of Harvard College. For fifty-five years Mr. McGrath had been caretaker of Professor Nortons estate in Cambridge, and great friendship existed between them.

When Mr. McGrath came to Somerville, many years ago, he was the only Hibernian in the city. He had joined the order in Ireland, and established Division 17 in Somerville forty years ago.

CAR IS BURNED, MAN HURT IN GAS EXPLOSION

The breaking of the connecting pipes of the large tank of illuminating gas under the private car of Superintendent William J. Fripp, of the Boston & Albany railroad, in the Huntington avenue yards, early to-day, when a switching engine collided with the car, resulted in $4,000 damage to the car from fire, which broke out immediately afterward, and the bruising of a yardman.

Backing down the tracks to secure the private car of Superintendent Fripp, the yard engine struck the car with great force, breaking many windows in the collision. A yardman investigating the extent of the damage under the car with a lighted lantern set fire to the escaping gas, and an explosion resulted, in which the man was hurled violently against another car some distance away, stunning him.

FEAR FOR LIFE OF AUTO VICTIM

Mrs. James F. Brock, of 407 Highland avenue, Malden, who was one of the victims in the Wellington bridge auto accident yesterday morning, was still unconscious at a late hour last night and as it is thought that she is fatally hurt internally, fears are expressed for her life. The other injured are all rapidly improving.

THE WEATHER.

Fair to-night and Saturday. Light, variable winds, becoming southwesterly.

High tide—2:27 a. m., 2:55 p. m.

Sun rises 4:21; sets 7:00.

Moon sets—11:34 p. m.

AFTER THE GAME

If you would avoid stiff, sore muscles get a bottle of Minard's Liniment and rub it in well before going to bed—wake up feeling fit.—Advt.

BOSTON YACHT ON CHATHAM BAR

CHATHAM, May 17.—The gasoline cruising yacht Verona, with the owner, Captain Bates, and Engineer Woodell on board, went ashore on Chatham Bar last night, near the "roaring bull" breaker and narrowly escaped serious damage.

The Verona left Boston yesterday bound for Jamestown and Ogunquit to Florida waters on a year's cruise. Soon after running on the bar she was sighted by the patrolman of the Old Harbor life-saving station and Captain Doane and crew hurried out to render assistance. Early to-day the yacht was extricated from her exposed position, apparently uninjured and brought into the harbor to a safe anchorage.

BORDEN GIVES 5000 INCREASE OF 10 PER CENT.

Operatives at Fall River Iron Works Cotton Mills Informed of Flat Raise.

LARGEST PLANT IN WORLD

FALL RIVER, May 17.—A notice of an increase of 10 per cent in the wages of the 5,000 operatives in the Iron Works Cotton Mills, the largest cotton mills in the world, was posted at that plant today.

The increase, which takes effect May 27, follows that which has been granted by those mills that are members of the Cotton Manufacturers' Association.

The six Iron Works mills, which are owned by M. C. D. Borden of New York, are not affiliated with this organization.

The increase announced today is that of a flat raise in wages, and has none of the sliding scale conditions that attend the increase granted by the members of the association.

CELEBRATE TODAY NORWAY'S "4TH OF JULY"

Norwegian Steamers in Harbor Gaily Decorated in Honor of the Day.

BECAME FREE IN 1814

To-day is the Norwegian Fourth of July, and high jinks are on aboard the Norwegian steamers Flora and Haakon VII, which are anchored in the upper harbor.

It seems that on May 17, 1814, Norway threw off the Danish yoke. When the waterfront opened its eyes early to-day it saw signs of much life aboard the two Norwegian steamers. The Norwegian coat of arms was run up to the mastihead. The national Norwegian flag, a blue and white double cross on a red field, was unfurled at the taffrail. Various signal flags and other purely decorative banners and bunting were strung about. The glance offered till the staid vessels looked as gay and sassy as a college widow at a football game.

ST. REGIS HELP OUT ON STRIKE

NEW YORK, May 17.—Every bellboy, newsman and elevator operator in the fashionable St. Regis walked out of the hotel to-day, declaring that they were on strike on account of dissatisfaction with the food.

Before the startled manager had time to reply, the employes had vanished from the big building. They formed a line on fifth avenue and marched down the thoroughfare.

The sudden departure of the help, which occurred at breakfast time, caused the management to press into service every employe it could get to serve breakfast and run the elevators.

LITTLETON TO DEFEND THAW

NEW YORK, May 17.—When Harry K. Thaw is again placed on trial for the murder of Stanford White, in September, before Justice Greenbaum, in the criminal branch of the Supreme Court, he will be defended by Martin W. Littleton, ex-borough president of Brooklyn, who will lead the forces of his counsel.

The young Pittsburger has discarded his old counsel, including Delmas, Henry Mc-Pike and Clifford W. Hartridge. He retains Daniel O'Reilly and J. Russell Peabody, who will assist Mr. Littleton.

ENGINE UPSET; 2 FIREMEN HURT

White responding to an alarm of fire from box 54 to-day engine No. 3 of the Chelsea fire department, in charge of Driver Fred Stapled and Engineer Gilbert Brown, tipped over at the corner of Elinor street and Broadway.

Both men were thrown to the ground, and were slightly injured and shaken up. The horses escaped injury.

Just after leaving the engine house a dog jumped at the horses, frightening them. In trying to avoid a team standing near the corner of Broadway and Elinor street the engine crashed into the curbstone overturning it.

BARONESS GETS SEVEN YEARS

NEW YORK, May 17.—Anisia Louise de Massy, popularly known as the "Baroness de Massy," recently convicted of having shot and killed Gustav Simon, a Broadway shirtwaist manufacturer, was yesterday sentenced to serve seven years and five months in the State's prison for women at Auburn. She was found guilty of manslaughter in the first degree.

FATHER THOUGHT CHILD WOULD DIE

Suffered with Cuban Itch, and Sores Covered Body from Head to Foot —Would Claw Himself and Cry All the Time — Could Not Be Dressed — Mother Advised to Try the Cuticura Remedies.

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"My little boy in the Spring of 1901, when only an infant of three months, caught the Cuban Itch from one of my neighbor's babies. Sores broke out from the head to the bottom of his feet. He would itch and claw himself so he cry all the time. He could not sleep day or night. I had to wheel him in his carriage most of the while to keep it still. He would bleed to have us cut his hands to keep him from clawing himself. We had the Cuticura Itch, and his treatment did not do a good. He seemed to get worse. He suffered so terribly that my husband said he believed he would have to die. I had almost given up hope when a lady friend told me to try the Cuticura Remedies. She said she cured her little girl's ear, which was nearly eaten up with the eczema. I got a cake of Cuticura Soap and one box Cuticura Ointment, and I washed him all over with the Cuticura Soap and applied the Cuticura Ointment and he at once fell into a sleep, and he slept with ease for the first time since two months. When he awoke I applied it again, and it gave him much ease, and after three applications the sores began to dry up and improvement began to show, and in ten days the hide from the bottom of his feet and inside of his hands began to peel off. I only used one cake Cuticura Soap and one box Cuticura Ointment to complete the cure of the dreadful disease, and in just two weeks from the day I commenced to use the Cuticura Remedies my baby was entirely well. The treatment only cost me 75c., and I would have gladly paid $100 if I could not have got it any cheaper. I feel safe in saying that the Cuticura Remedies saved his life. He is now a boy of five years, and is as well as any child you ever saw." (Signed) Mrs. Zana Miller, Union City, R. R. No. 1, Branch Co., Mich., May 7, 1906.

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BLOODHOUND HUNTS THIEF IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, May 17.—A man hunt, in which a bloodhound was used to trail a highwayman, was conducted in the Bronx to-day. Despite the keen scent of the dog, however, the trail was lost, and the robber escaped.

Fred Kaufmann, a saloon keeper, was the victim of the robbery. He was badly used up by the highwayman, who leaped out on him from the shadow of a building and used a blackjack. Then the thief took a bank roll containing $75 and fled.

The police procured the bloodhound and put him on the trail of the thief, but the animal lost the scent a block from the scene of the robbery.

FRENCH WINE GROWERS RISE IN REVOLT

PARIS, May 17.—The uprising of wine growers of the Midi district has reached a point where it threatens great danger to the republic. To-day the little village of Bezieres, where a great mass meeting of dissatisfied wine growers was held on Sunday, is practically under military guard. Rioting occurred last night and residents are in a panic.

To-day Premier Clemenceau was notified that, unless immediate steps are taken to appease the wine growers, the insurrectionary movement is bound to assume dangerous proportions.

MEIKLE BOY GOES ON TRIAL MAY 20

SALEM, May 17.—The trial of Edgar Meikle, the fourteen-year-old Lynn school boy, for the murder of his father, Charles Meikle, in November, 1905, will go on in the Superior Court here May 20.

The lad has been in jail for over six months. It is thought that the trial will not be long, as it is simply a question as to whether the father was murdered or committed suicide.

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HARMONY IN RANKS OF PRESBYTERIANS

COLUMBUS, O., May 17.—There were two features of the opening sessions of the 119th general assembly of the Presbyterian Church in this city yesterday—the annual sermon, delivered by Rev. Fin Landreth, of Nashville, Tenn., moderator of the last Cumberland Presbyterian Assembly, which was delivered in the morning, and the election of a moderator which took place in the afternoon. More than 900 delegates answered the first roll call and several thousand visitors looked on at the opening sessions.

The election of a moderator was reduced to a formality by the withdrawal of all the candidates except the Rev. William H. Roberts of Philadelphia, who was chosen by acclamation. Dr. Roberts has been state clerk of the assembly for fourteen years.

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Style 501—A dressy all patent colt blucher oxford, with the new a wing last, high raised toe-cap, creased vamps and medium closely-trimmed soles. A decidedly handsome oxford for summer wear and a famous value at 3.50

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25c Full Fashion Half Hose 12½c, in plain black, medium weight cotton and lisle. Fast color, high spliced heel and toe, wide rib, with slight imperfections hardly noticeable. Regular 25c value at 12½c

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25c lb.

Brookside print butter, made from the cream of the most select Jersey stock, is sure to please you. It is received fresh in our stores every day, and is delicious in its freshness.

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SAY SOLDIER'S DEATH WAS DUE TO ACCIDENT

Army Board Decides Egan Was Killed by Sudden Discharge of Rifle.

An army board, composed of officers stationed at Fort Banks, Winthrop, decided to-day that Private William Egan, who was killed in the barracks at that post yesterday afternoon, came to his death through the accidental discharge of his rifle.

Egan, with several companions, had returned to the barracks from the rifle range after target practice. All of the men except Egan and one other went to sleep. Egan arose and got his rifle, saying that he meant to clean it. As he took the weapon from the rack it was discharged. The bullet pierced Egan's left eye, and he died before medical aid could reach him.

Egan's nearest relative is his sister, Mrs. Kate Berry of No. 106 Camden street, Roxbury.

BOY TELLS HOW HIS FACE WAS BRANDED WITH ACID

Indignation Over Melrose High School Initiation Starts Move to Abolish Secret Societies.

At a result of the brutal initiation of Karl Gibson, Ralph Kingston and Gardiner Wardwell into the Delti Phi Society of the Melrose High School the school authorities of that city are taking steps to abolish all school secret societies.

The boys, whose faces were painted with a mixture of nitrate of silver and caustic, will probably bear the marks of their initiation for life, and young Gibson may be a victim of blood poisoning.

When the poisons were rubbed on his cheeks Gibson was suffering from a face rash. Gibson has not yet been able to return to school, but Kingston and Ward well reported to-day. Kingston was assigned to a private room. This arrangement was made with him because he has not been absent from school or tardy for five years, and he does not wish to break his record.

Young Kingston told a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter to-day a detailed story of the outrages to which he, Wardwell and Gibson submitted at the hands of fellow high school pupils.

Here is his story:

By Ralph Kingston.

Three weeks ago I was asked to become a member of the Delta Phi. I decided to join. As soon as I notified the society that I desired to become a member, the initiation proceedings began. Gibson and Ward were started with me to take the degrees. We were given some part of the initiation every afternoon after school or every evening until Wednesday night, when the caustic-nitrate of silver incident brought the proceedings to a sudden end. We were always blindfolded when being put through the stunts, and did not have an opportunity to see any of the boys who were in the degree.

The first feature of the initiation was a dinner, once. We were each placed in a blanket and thrown up in the air until we were exhausted and could hardly move.

Then we were taken to the Wyoming Cemetery, and when we reached a lonely section the bandages were removed from our eyes and we were told to wander around among the gravestones.

Ran Blindfold in Field.

The next night we were taken to a field in which there were many holes, blindfolded and compelled to run at full speed, of course we fell every time we struck a hole.

The following night we were taken to a lonely place on the outskirts of Melrose, covered in cornstalks and rolled several times down a steep hill.

On Wednesday night we were again taken to the cemetery, and after being made to stand in a row some of the boys began painting our faces with a liquid which caused pain from the moment they began to put it on. Once a boy almost choked some of it in my mouth. I had just closed the eye when I felt the liquid within a fraction of an inch of it. I thought of resisting, for I realized that if I did the boys would jump on me and hold me down and that I would be treated worse than if I submitted quietly.

I made up my mind that I would take my medicine without squealing.

When I finally got home I found that a circle had been painted on one cheek and a triangle on the other.

I tried to wash the stuff off, but soap and water seemed to increase the pain so I let the "paint" remain there and went to school the next morning.

DEATH WEAKENS CASE AGAINST 'GOLDIE' NEILL

State Loses Doctor Whose Evidence Caused Indictment of Beautiful Model.

BRIDGEPORT, Ct., May 17.—Because Dr. L. P. Jones, who was medical examiner of Greenwich at the time Joseph Neill met his death through the instrumentality of a nail file, in his hotel room, and on whose testimony before the grand jury, principally, "Goldie" Neill was indicted for murder, there are reports here that the former famous artist's model will be discharged without having to face a jury.

She has been under indictment for first degree murder here for several months, and during that time has languished in the Fairfield County jail. She has spent the greater part of the time in her cell, often refraining from taking advantage of the privileges offered for exercising.

At the time of her arrest, the witness whose testimony weighed heavily against her was Dr. Jones. He was summoned on the night of the death of Neill and made caustic examinations of the room and its contents. The physician died a few weeks ago in Florida, and the case, it is inferred, has been so weakened that chances of conviction are regarded as small.

Attorney Carl Foster, who was appointed by the State to take charge of the defense, has been in consultation with Mrs. Neill and steadfastly maintains that she is innocent. The matter of pleading guilty to a lesser degree of murder was declared as preposterous, for the plea would mean a life imprisonment.

At the county court house, where the case has been discussed, grave doubts are expressed whether the State's attorney will insist upon a trial upon the evidence which has been secured.

Should there be a trial, it is believed that it will be a short one.

ENGLISH REFUGEES SAFE.

TANGIER, May 17.—The English residents of Morocco City, who left there a week ago to-day for Safi, on the coast, because of threatened disorders, have arrived at their journey's end.

GIRL CHARGES HUB BROKER WITH LARCENY

Dorchester School Teacher Alleges Benjamin M. Carlow Misrepresented Stock.

Declaring that through false statements and misrepresentation she was led to invest $2,500 in worthless stock of a Vermont marble quarry, Miss Mabel M. Taylor, a teacher in the Dorchester High School, through her attorney has complained against Benjamin M. Carlow, a prominent Boston business man, engaged in a banking and bond investment business, with the result that an indictment was found against him by the Suffolk County Grand Jury.

Carlow, who has offices in the Journal Building, but lives in Worcester where he is actively connected with many clubs, upon hearing that he was wanted by the police and that an indictment had been returned against him, surrendered himself to the authorities.

While awaiting the call of his case, his wife, who is reported to be wealthy, was summoned to Worcester and arrived just as he was taken into the Superior Court room.

Attorney McAnarney represented Carlow when Judge Bond and entered a plea of not guilty for his client. Carlow was held in $5,000 bail for trial, his wife qualifying as surety.

The alleged larceny occurred last February, according to Otto Scales, attorney for Miss Taylor. It is alleged that at that time Carlow induced Miss Taylor to purchase a block of stock in the Middlebury, Vt., marble quarry for the sum of $2,500, representing to her that the purchase was a good investment. Miss Taylor was unable to pay the full sum and Carlow, it is said, agreed to take her note for $300.

Shortly after the purchase Miss Taylor was told, it is claimed, that her stock was worthless. At first she was inclined to let the matter drop, but at the earnest solicitation of her friends and counsel counsel. She was advised not to pay the note for $300 and through her attorney filed complaint against Carlow.

BAIL LIKELY FOR DEFAULTER OF THOUSANDS

Deposed Treasurer Lincoln of Woonsocket Electric Co. Arraigned To-morrow.

WOONSOCKET, R. I., May 17.—Efforts to obtain bail for Levi C. Lincoln, the defaulting treasurer of the Woonsocket Electric Machine and Power Company, have been continued, and it is among the possibilities, if the court, after to-morrow's hearing, holds him for the grand jury in $15,000 or more bail, he may obtain bondsmen to assume the responsibility and be free until his trial or until after the grand jury's action.

Lincoln's hearing on the $57,000 embezzlement charge comes to-morrow. George W. Greene and Charles H. McFee, his counsel, intend to have the State present its side of the case in order that they may form an idea of the strength of the case to be presented against their client. The defence will put in no testimony, submitting to Mr. Lincoln's being bound over to await the action of the Grand Jury at the June term.

WALTHAM'S WATER WORKS MEN STRIKE

Every laborer connected with the Waltham water department is on strike, and all the work in course of completion has been brought to a standstill.

The men some days ago asked for an increase in pay from $1.80 to $2 per day, but this was ignored by Mayor Harvey.

INTERPRETS VT. DRUNK LAW.

MONTPELIER, Vt., May 17.—The Supreme Court has decided that it is legal to confine a prisoner in the County Jail for drunkenness on either the first or second offenses, and is not lawful to imprison a person in the House of Correction for such offenses.

GIRL WARNED HIM OF DEATH THREAT BY SIRE

Ricca Testifies That He Killed Prospective Father-in-Law in Self-Defence.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 17.—Eleven Ricca, on trial in the Superior Court here, to-day, charged with the murder of his prospective father-in-law, Luigi Todiecho, on December 1, 1906, pleads self-defence. The State yesterday rested, and Attorney Francis L. McVann, for the defence, outlined his case and called Ricca to testify in his own behalf.

Ricca told the jury that the trouble arose over the opposition of Todiecho to his marrying the latter's pretty daughter, Bettina. He said that the girl had once said to him, "Tony, look out. Papa will kill you if he sees you."

Ricca told the jury of his failing in love with Rattin Todiecho, that Luigi Todiecho, the father, objected, and that the girl warned him that her father had threatened to kill him on sight.

He was in the girl's home at the time, he testified, and the father slipped up behind him and threw him out of the house, punching and kicking him.

The next morning, December 1, Ricca said, he met Todiecho, who grabbed him by the collar and said, "Come with me, I want to blow your head off."

Todiecho followed him up and hit him about ten times with his hands, the witness said, and then took a stick of wood from a team and continued to strike him.

ARREST 11 IN CONSPIRACY TO KILL THE CZAR

Planned to Hurl Bomb at Russian Ruler While at Prayer.

ST PETERSBURG, May 17.—Eleven of the alleged conspirators in the plot to assassinate the Czar in his palace at Tsarskoe-Selo have been arrested at Torrioki, Finland. Secret service officials are on the trail of the other suspects and further arrests are expected soon.

From an official source the details of the conspiracy were furnished to-day. The conspirators planned to get into the chapel in the palace where Emperor Nicholas and the principal palace officials worship. Concealing themselves until all the dignitaries should be present at a service they intended to hurl a bomb at the Czar.

A revolutionist made repeated efforts to gain admission to the chapel, but failed. Finally he approached a Cossack officer and offered him $10,000 if he would allow a stranger to enter the chapel during a service.

The magnitude of the bribe astonished the officer, who at once reported the incident. An investigation followed the details of the plot. It is believed the assassination was planned by the same gang of Terrorists that attempted to kill Premier Stolypin by throwing a bomb at him in his residence nearly a year ago.

SAYS ENGLAND INSISTS ON DUMA'S LIFE

PARIS, May 17.—The greatest interest has been aroused here in the story printed by the Journal de Geneve, declaring that Great Britain is really responsible for the continued existence of the Russian Duma.

The paper which makes the statement is usually well informed on affairs of the various European chancelleries, and for this reason it is believed there is a great measure of truth in the story.

Great Britain, it is asserted, practically threatened to call off pending negotiations for a treaty with Russia if the Duma were dissolved. This threat, it is said, resulted in the withholding of a decree dissolving the Russian Parliament, which had already been presented to the Czar for his signature, as Russia is anxious to arrange a treaty with Great Britain, as it promises to be the means of supplying her with much-needed funds.

KUROKI TOURS SUBWAY; SEES WALL STREET

NEW YORK, May 17.—Only a comparatively busy day of sight-seeing was planned to-day for General Baron Kuroki, Japan's military hero, who is enjoying his first visit to New York.

A visit to the Stock Exchange and Wall street was made this morning, and then the Japanese general was taken for a long ride over both branches of the subway. Kuroki was extremely interested in the underground road.

Colonel Hubert Thompson had invited Kuroki to be his guest at noon, and the meal was taken on the top floor of one of the downtown skyscrapers. Then the general and his party went back to the Hotel Astor to rest.

Late this afternoon the distinguished guest will be taken for a ride through Central Park. To-night his visit will be celebrated with a banquet at the Hotel Astor. Admiral Dewey will preside and 1,500 guests will attend.

HUB RUNAWAY SLEPT IN COURT

NEW YORK, May 17.—Willie Young, a seventeen-year-old runaway from Boston, had to be prodded to keep awake as he stood on the bridge of Yorkville court. He had been found sleeping soundly on top of a crockery crate on the Bowery.

Willie told the magistrate, between naps that he had determined to make his own way in the world beginning at New York. So with a companion and four dollars he had come here.

At the Fifth street station he had been given food and a place to sleep but he had not caught up when it was time to go to court. He slept all the way, slept while waiting for his case to be reached and tried to sleep while on the bridge.

GIFT TO NIECE LED TO KILLING

Because of the gift of a pair of pigeons by Valentine di Pietro to Concetta di Gravio, his invalid niece, Loreto di Gravio, the woman's husband will to-day face the Lynn court on a charge of the murder of di Pietro. Di Pietro lived with the Gravios at No. 41 Elm street, Lynn. Yesterday, as his wife ate the pigeons, di Gravio shot and killed di Pietro.

Mrs. di Grecio and her sister, Stivonia Dornalo, were held as witnesses, while Olimpio di Gravio, who is accused of having given Loreto the recovery some weeks ago, was taken as an accessory.

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Boys' Knicker Suits—3 to 16 years. Grey club checks and stripes. $5.00 value..... **3.95**

Children's Sailors and Russians—Grey scotches in three patterns, 3 to 10 years. $4.00 value..... **2.48**

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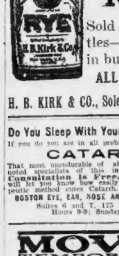

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Interesting Pictures Apiece.

The Snapshot Man, you know, takes pictures along the street and publishes ten of these pictures in the Sunday paper. He will pay $10 apiece to the originals of these pictures if they call on him at No. 82 Summer street and establish their identity.

For this week the Snapshot Man went along Harrison street and "snapped" various men, women and children. The Snapshot Man thinks that he really outdid himself this week in happy results. You will think so when you see the pictures Sunday.

Of course you will think as if your picture happens to be among the lucky ones. You will think as about 100 dollars' worth

Interesting Pictures This Week.

The group for next Sunday's picture is an unusually representative one. There are some interesting subjects.

The important thing is the—well, you buy the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN next Sunday and see for yourself. Maybe you will see yourself, too.

LEADER OF SPY BAND CAPTURED

PARIS, May 17.—The police have arrested an Englishman, giving his name as Blanchard, on the charge of being the leader of a band of international spies. The band succeeded in getting possession of plans of Bizerta, an important naval station of France in Tunis, which they offered to sell to the French Minister of Marine for $2,000, threatening otherwise to dispose of them to a foreign government.

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Robert G. Proctor, former secretary to Senator Lodge. He has been sentenced to ten months in jail, but

HAS NOT BEEN FOUND.

On June 29, 1906, Robert G. Proctor, former secretary to United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, was convicted of stealing $225 contributed to the Republican campaign fund. Extraordinary efforts were made to save Proctor, politicians prominent in the State and national governments aiding. James B. Reynolds, now assistant treasurer of the United States; Thomas Talbot, chairman of the State Committee, and others were witnesses. The fight was carried to the Supreme Court, but Proctor was sentenced to serve ten months in prison and released on $500 bail. Now he cannot be found, and his powerful political friends say they cannot locate him. Will he return to go to jail?

MELLEN PICKS STEVENS FOR TUTTLE'S JOB?

In furtherance of his plans for the merger of the Boston & Maine railroad with the New Haven system, President Charles S. Mellen yesterday was in consultation with several of the largest stockholders of the Boston & Maine road, such as Lewis Cass Ledyard of New York, who represented the American Express Company's holdings; Henry M. Whitney, Eugene N. Foss and the Lawrence estate of Medford and Charles M. Pratt of New York.

The interests with which Mr. Mellen conferred control a good many thousand shares of Boston & Maine stock. Hundreds of over 100,000 shares of the stock have surrendered signified their assent to the plans as outlined to date. This includes fully one-fifth of the total outstanding.

When the merger plans progress far enough, and President Lucius Tuttle of the Boston & Maine has been provided for by a European vacation or some other manner, John F. Stevens, former head of the Panama Canal, a great friend of President Mellen, who is now making an inventory of the New Haven property, will take charge of the engineering details of the union of the two roads and later succeed Mr. Tuttle at the head of the Boston & Maine, it is stated.

Mayor for Traffic Improvements.

Following the announcement by President Mellen that he had been "especially" induced by some statements credited to him in the newspapers," evidently intended to his credit, Mayor for the first time in which the latter told of the plans broached to him by the head of the New Haven road for the absorption of the Boston and Maine, Mayor Fitzgerald gave out the statement last evening that the interests of Boston demand that there shall be a "substantial traffic arrangement between the roads running north and south from Boston. The Mayor said:

"There has been no disagreement between Mr. Mellen and myself in regard to the requirements for the future railroad development of New England. There must come a substantial traffic arrangement between the roads running to the North, through mergers or some other agreement. Whatever is done, of course the business interests must be substantially protected by recognition of the boards of directors of these roads, and nobody realizes this better than Mr. Mellen.

"There are two trunks on the Boston & Maine and two on the Boston & Albany running west. This truckage cannot take care of the local passenger and freight business, and there should be at least one additional freight and passenger track on these lines.

"New England capital ought to build an independent line between Troy and Buffalo, and I understand that this is now contemplated by the Boston & Maine and the New Haven interests. And we trust when the New York Central is willing to give New England money, which is now going to the development of other parts of the country, should be put into railroad development in New England. Plans have now on hand that when completed will bring Canada, the South and West nearer to Boston."

300 LONGSHOREMEN QUIT IN PORTLAND

PORTLAND, Me., May 17.—Three hundred longshoremen struck here today because the stevedores, learning of the intention to demand more, employed green men in the crews working on various vessels.

MYSTERY IN SHOOTING OF SADIE COOK

The Dorchester police are today investigating the mysterious shooting of pretty twenty-two year old Sadie Cook of No. 118 Lonsdale street, who was struck in the ankle by a stray bullet at the Welles avenue railroad crossing. The police believe boys who were shooting at targets are responsible for the accident.

Miss Cook was returning home from the I. H. Paloz dyeing factory, where she is a bookkeeper, when she was struck. Her brother Hyman was with her.

"We were crossing the railroad track on our way home to supper when I felt a twinge in the ankle," she said to a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter. "I put my hand down and was thunderstruck to find that my ankle was bleeding. I didn't hear what caused it. My foot hurt me awfully. My brother hailed a carriage which was passing, and I was brought to the office of Dr. Dervent, a short distance away. He examined my ankle and discovered a small wound. While dressing it his instrument struck something hard, and when he pulled it out we were greatly surprised to see that it was a piece of lead. After my ankle was dressed we notified the police. I think the bullet was a stray shot. Boys are shooting birds and at targets with air rifles and guns around that section nearly all the time."

LINEMAN ELECTROCUTED.

MANCHESTER, N. H., May 17.—Leslie G. Wilson, a lineman employed by the Manchester Traction and Power Company, was accidentally electrocuted while stringing feed wires in Goffstown yesterday afternoon.

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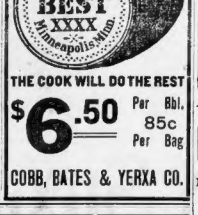

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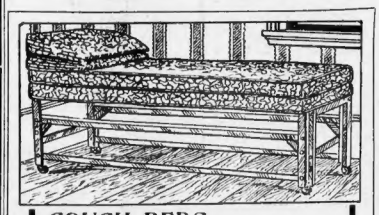

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CLERK SNEERS AT VOTER FOR PARTY CHANGE

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ACTION BY COMMISSION

That voters who visit the office of the Election Commissioners of the City of Boston for the purpose of changing their enrollment from one political party to another have been forced to submit to ridicule, is the charge made by Robert T. Allen, chairman of the Boston Independence League City Committee, and Robert R. Payne, in a petition and affidavit filed with the Board.

A hearing on the charge was held at the office of the Commissioners yesterday afternoon, at which were present Chairman Minton, Commissioners Hart and Burton, C. O. Power, representing the Independence League and clerks in the enrollment division of the department.

Commissioners to Act.

At the conclusion of the hearing, the Commissioners announced that specific orders will be given to the clerks to attend strictly to their business when changing the enrollment of voters. Assurance was also given by the Commissioners that clerks found guilty of asking impertinent questions or sneering at voters will be making any comments on their intention to change enrollment sought dismissal.

Chairman Allen says that the League was forced to take this action because of complaints which had reached him at City Committee headquarters. Voters who have participated in the Democratic or Republican caucuses and who wish to change their enrollment to the Independence League party must visit the office of the Election Commissioners, No. 1 Old State House, rear of City Hall, and certify their intentions in writing. Clerks in charge are supposed to ask only a very few necessary questions.

Declare Clerks Ridicule.

It has been charged that unnecessary questions and ridicule have been indulged in by the clerks. Robert R. Payne, the first colored voter in Boston to enroll as an Independence League man, charges in the accompanying affidavit that the clerk to whom he applied for enrollment sneered at and ridiculed him.

At the hearing the clerk denied the charges. He was told by the Commissioners the form of questions to be asked in future and warned against unnecessary comment.

In his petition, Chairman Allen requests that the Commissioners take steps to prevent a recurrence of such treatment as is recited in Mr. Payne's affidavit, and the petition says emphatically that, if this is not done, legal action by way of injunctions will be brought to reach the desired ends.

LIVE WIRE KILLS WIFE DESERTER

GREAT BARRINGTON, May 17.—Reuben G. Winn of Sheffield, who deserted his family on last Thanksgiving Day, and has not been heard from since, was instantly killed to-day at the New York subway by coming in contact with an electric wire.

After Winn left his home his wife became insane, and it was a very pitiful case when she and her five children were brought into court. One wife was sent to the asylum, and the five children are being cared for by the State Board of Charities.

DEATH NOTICES.

DAVIS—In Charlestown, May 15, Robert J., beloved husband of Julia A. Davis (nee Daley), formerly of the North End.
Funeral from his late residence, 68 Tremont st., Saturday, May 18, at 8:15 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Mary's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends and members of Hamilton Court, C. O. F., are respectfully invited to attend. Floral pieces please omit.

DONALDSON—In Jamaica Plain, May 15, William Donaldson, 60 yrs.
Funeral services at his late residence, 24 Green wood av., Saturday, May 18, at 2 p. m.

DUCHELL—In Charlestown, May 14, Adelaide, wife of Leonard A. Getchell, 69 yrs.
Funeral services will be held from 7 Summer st., Charlestown, Friday, May 17, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

HANEY—In Charlestown, May 15, Patrick, beloved husband of Mary Haney.
Funeral from his late residence, 92 Medford st., Saturday, May 18, at 8:30 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Catherine's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends respectfully invited.

HASKINS—In South Boston, May 16, Charlotte, widow of Charles Haskins.
Funeral from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Catherine Baxter, 151 Athens st., Saturday, May 18, at 8:30 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Peter and Paul's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

HUSTHEIM—In Roslindale, May 17, at 1 a. m., son of Charles H. and Anna A. Justheim, 2½ yrs.
Funeral services at 17 Bellevue av., Roslindale, Friday, May 17, 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

KERWIN—In Everett, May 15, Andrew P., beloved son of John and Catherine Kerwin (nee Cronin), 23 yrs.
Funeral from the residence of his parents, 23 Pleasant View av., Friday, May 17, at 9 a. m. sharp. High mass of requiem at Immaculate Conception Church at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment at Holy Cross, Malden.

LUEY—In Winchester, May 15, Ellen, daughter of Jeremiah Luey, 24 yrs.
Funeral from her late home this morning at 608 Main st. at 8:30. High mass at St. Mary's Church at 9. Friends invited.

LUND—In Everett, May 15, Miss Martha E. Lund.
Funeral services at the residence of her brother, Charles Lund, 30 Waters av., Everett, Saturday, May 18, at 1 p. m. Interment will take place at Hillcrest, Saturday, May 18.

MacFAWN—In Dorchester, May 15, after a long illness, Florence Mabel Conroy, wife of Wm. A. MacFawn.
Funeral from her late residence, 219 Sd st., Saturday, May 18, at 9:15 a. m. High mass at St. Vincent's Church at 9 o'clock.

NORTON—In South Boston, May 14, by accident, Coleman, husband of Bridget Norton.
Funeral from his late residence, 9 Tilt st., Saturday, May 18, at 8:15 a. m. High mass of requiem at St. Augustine's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

SCANLON—Suddenly, in Somerville, May 15, Daniel J. and John F., beloved children of Daniel J. and Julia Scanlon.
Funeral from late residence, 113 Arsenal st., Watertown, Friday, May 17, at 8:30 a. m.

STRANGE—In Cambridge, May 15, Felix A., 69 yrs.
Funeral will leave by 9 a. m. train, North station, Friday, May 17, for services and interment at Manchester, N. H.

SULLIVAN—In West Roxbury, May 16, Catherine Cecilia Sullivan, niece of the late Rev. James Sullivan, aged 19 yrs. 6 mos. 16 days.
Funeral Monday morning at 9 o'clock, from the house of St. Mary's Church, West Quincy, where requiem mass will be said. Kindly omit flowers.

SHAW—In Quincy, May 15, Hon. John Shaw, 63 yrs. 8 mos. 6 da.
Funeral at his late home, 65 Goffe st., Saturday, May 18, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Train leaves South station at 1:37 p. m.

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Payne, in Affidavit, Tells of Clerk's Jibes

Boston, Mass., May 15, 1907.

ROBERT R. PAYNE, BEING FIRST DULY SWORN, DEPOSES AND SAYS AS FOLLOWS:

"MY NAME is Robert R. Payne. I am a citizen of Boston and live at No. 10 Strong place, West End, and am employed by the Huyen Confectionery Company of Boston. I went to-day to the office of the Election Commissioners, No. 1 Old State House, to change my enrollment from being a voter in the Democratic party to being a voter in the Independence League. I had the following conversation with the clerk or official in charge of the duty of receiving changes of enrollment. When I approached the desk where the notice of the desire to change one's party is attended to I was asked by the person in charge of the book containing the blanks to be signed by the voters:

"'What is your party?'

"I answered, 'I am a Democrat.'

"'Very bad,' was the reply from the man whose duty it was to merely receive my application and attend to recording it.

"He then said: 'You are no good to us. You are doing a bad thing. Are you going to elect a Governor and try to run the State? What party do you wish to be enrolled in?'

"I answered, 'The Independence League.' To which he replied: 'How much are you getting for this?' seeming much angered and annoyed. 'I am getting nothing,' I answered. 'It cost me a day and a half to do this. I lost two hours from my work, and that cost me half a day; then I lost a day in addition, for when we work the whole week we get half a day's overtime pay, and I shall lose that. That is what this has cost me.'

"The reply to this was a sneering laugh, and the whole attitude and bearing of the man in charge of the book, whose duty it was to change enrollments, was that of trying to ridicule and abuse to prevent the change of enrollment.

"ROBERT R. PAYNE."

Then personally appeared the above-named Robert R. Payne and made oath to the truth of the above statement signed by him, before me.

J. T. AUERBACH, Notary Public.

ARREST YOUTH FOR LOOTING N. Y. HOME

Samuel Siegal, seventeen, of New York city, was arrested by Patrolman Maguire in the West End last night, charged with looting the home of his employer of jewelry to the value of $250.

According to the boy's story he has been working for Isadore Fichman, a wealthy New Yorker, and yesterday stole a watch, locomotive and eleven cars through a chain and four rings. He then boarded a train for this city. Last night he visited a pawnshop at No. 64 Leverett street and was arrested on one of the rings for $50. The broker notified the police and the youth confessed.

3 MEN KILLED BY BLAST EXPLOSION

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., May 17.—A premature explosion of a blast, yesterday afternoon, on the Stevenson extension at the foot of Lookout mountain resulted in three men being killed outright, three more fatally and two others badly injured, the breaking of a Southern railway freight locomotive and eleven cars through a bridge into Chattanooga creek, and the destruction of three homes. The killed are J. Fitzgerald, a negro fireman, and two Greek laborers on the extension. George McMahon, an engineer, may probably die of his injuries.

MRS. HAYWOOD HELPS HUSBAND PICK HIS JURY

Orchard Insane, She Declares, in Great Fight to Save Miner's Life.

STILL SELECTING THE JURY

BOISE, Idaho, May 17.—Dominant in this great trial of William D. Haywood, of the Moyer-Pettibone trio, is the personality of Mrs. Haywood. To-day, though weak and ill, her intense nervous energy caused her to give the defence a great impetus. She sits as near her husband as possible, and often sends notes and suggestions to the counsel, while she gives Haywood the benefit of her woman's intuition in selecting jurors.

"My husband is innocent, and the world must know it!" she declared to-day, "Orchard must be insane. His statements show that."

To-day the work of selecting a jury goes on. As yet there has been no actual progress made toward completing the panel, during yesterday's half-day session eleven talesmen were examined.

As was expected, the defence exercised its right to challenge when it relieved Allen Pride, a farmer, who testified during the examination that he had invited to dinner the deputy sheriff who served him with a jury summons. Pride admitted the acquaintance with the sheriff, the talk, he said, hanging upon Harry Orchard and his alleged confession.

After the juror was excused, court adjourned until to-day. As the work of jury selection progressed, the difficulties seemed to increase. The after affidavit of talesmen were excused because of strong opinions as to the guilt or innocence of the accused. One man called for service, questioned by the court, indicated that he was prejudiced against the State because of various acts attributed to the prosecution during the last year. Each side has still nine peremptory challenges to exercise, and there remain fifty-seven members of the special venire.

Yesterday morning's session was abandoned because of the funeral of former Judge Edward Nugent of the District Court.

The jury panel, as it stands to-day, is as follows: A. L. Ewing, carpenter; Joel Matthews, farmer; Samuel P. Gilman, farmer; Walter Shaw, farmer; Frank E. Madden, who as yet has not been examined as to his qualifications; William L. McGuffin, coal dealer; George H. McIntyre, farmer; W. N. Rudge, farmer; Orrio Cole, mining broker; W. W. Risby, real estate man; Samuel F. Russell, farmer.

Orchard, the prisoner, rises upon whom the State is said to chiefly rely in pushing its case against the three officials of the Western Federation of Miners, broke his long silence and discussed his treatment. He carefully refrained, however, from saying anything about his case.

STABS PERUVIAN DIPLOMAT IN JEALOUS RAGE

Secretary Edwards of Democratic Committee Wounds Peruvian in Washington.

BALK POLICE INQUIRY

By Boston American Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Alejandro Garland, Jr., an attaché of the Peruvian legation, was stabbed and seriously wounded by Charles A. Edwards, secretary of the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee and clerk to the conference of the House minority, of which John Sharp Williams is chairman, yesterday.

The affray took place in front of the fashionable De Soto apartment house, on Massachusetts avenue. Out of the mystery which surrounds the affair the police have developed the fact that the fight was over a woman, whose name is given as Miss Louise Scott.

Police Inquiry Balked.

The extent of the Peruvian's wounds is not known. He is at the residence of Dr. George N. Ruffin, two squares from the De Soto, where he ran soon after he was stabbed. Dr. Ruffin to-night refused to discuss the affair, not even giving the extent of Garland's injuries. Even detectives have been refused admittance to the room of the patient.

"I am doing this as Mr. Garland's proposition," said Dr. Ruffin, "and am not with any idea of defeating justice. Even if he desired himself to see you, I should still refuse you admittance to his room."

Mr. Edwards also has been without seeing any of his friends. At his apartments it was said he would be away for several days. Where he went is not known.

Girl Moves Away.

Miss Scott gave up her room at the De Soto this forenoon, driving away from the apartment house in a cab, on top of which were her trunk and other belongings. There were several witnesses to the fight. Edwards, who had been in New York on a week, returning to Washington late on Wednesday, called at the De Soto about midnight, and asked for Miss Scott, who had a room in an apartment with Miss Hudson. He was told that Miss Scott had gone out early in the evening and had not returned.

BOSTON ENVOYS WELCOMED

QUEENSTOWN, May 17.—John O'Callaghan, secretary; T. B. Fitzpatrick, treasurer of the United Irish League, and Patrick J. Timmins, a member of the executive committee, delegates all of Boston, arrived here yesterday on the steamer Arabic, which sailed from Boston May 8.

PRESIDENT TO REVIEW REPORT ON HARRIMAN

Takes Complete Transcript of Testimony With Him on Virginia Vacation.

AT LEAST MORALLY GUILTY

Washington, May 17.—When President Roosevelt and Mrs. Roosevelt left Washington to-day for a brief vacation at "Pine Knot," Mrs. Roosevelt's country home in Virginia, he took with him a complete transcript of the testimony, as well as the report of Attorneys Kellogg and Severance in the Harriman case.

The President will study the papers thoroughly, and, if possible, determine whether it would be practicable to prosecute the railway wizard and attempt to dissolve his combinations.

Although he is satisfied that Harriman is morally guilty of many of the offences charged against him, the President is not at all sure that Harriman could be convicted in legal proceedings. In fact, he is inclined to believe that Harriman has, in a number of instances, kept just within the line of the law.

AUTOIST KILLED IN TESTING CAR'S SPEED

DIEPPE, France, May 17.—Albert Clement, son of a prominent automobile inventor, was killed to-day while speeding his car over the track where the French grand prize automobile race will be run this year. A friend who was accompanying him was badly injured in the accident.

SHOT IN LEG; DRAGS SELF MILE TO DOCTOR

MILTON, Vt., May 17.—Henry Carbo, night operator for the Central Vermont Railway, shot himself in the right leg yesterday morning while cleaning a rifle. He dragged himself nearly a mile to a doctor's office, where he fainted from loss of blood.

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Men's $4 Trousers at $2.75 — All wool and fancy worsteds.

Men's $3 Hats at $2 — Derbies and Soft Hats.

2000 Boys' $1.50 and $2 Wash Suits — Strictly high grade suits of pure linen, cheviots, madras and chambrays—sailor, Russian and Peter Pan styles—sizes 2 1-2 to 10 years. A collection of $2.00 suits for early shoppers at..... 98c

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HUMMEL TO GO INTO STRIPES

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, May 17.—Lawyer Abraham Hummel, epicure, man-about-town and "first nighter" at the theatre, has begun at last preparations for a year's stay on Blackwell's Island. There he will be just plain Abraham Hummel, convict. His meals will consist of bread, beef stew and coffee, and he will wear the baggy prison uniform used by the inmates of the Blackwell's Island Penitentiary. He goes to prison because of his conspiracy in the famous Charles W. Morse-Clemence C. Dodge divorce.

Hummel's lawyer, John D. Lindsay, has given up all hope, it is said, of saving his client from being sentenced to serve a year on the island and paying a fine of $500 next Saturday. Sentence is to be passed by Chief Justice Edgar M. Cullen.

MAYOR FAILS TO VETO ORDER

The order of the Board of Aldermen, directing Corporation Counsel Babson to bring proceeding in equity in the Supreme Court to cause the annulment of the location granted by the Board of Railroad Commissioners to the Boston Elevated Railway Company for an elevated structure through the West End section of the city, became operative to-day without the signature of Mayor Fitzgerald, the time limit for action on the petition expiring at midnight.

That the Mayor executed a sudden flop in the matter is current gossip at City Hall, where it was known that he intended to veto the order. Representative Lomasney's unexpected victory in the Democratic caucus Tuesday, is asserted, for the Mayor's change of mind.

ANNUAL VT. GUN CLUB SHOOT.

MONTPELIER, Vt., May 17.—At the annual shoot of the Montpelier Gun Club the state championship and the $25 silver cup was awarded to E. S. Greenwood of Winooski Falls, who shot forty-five out of a total of fifty birds.

FOUR SLAIN IN WARSAW FIGHT

WARSAW, May 17.—Terrorists to-day attacked the city office of the Vistula railroad and after a fight escaped with $5,000. Four persons were killed and nine wounded in the fight.

There were fully a dozen men in the band and the office was full of people when the attack was made. Soldiers were also on guard. Two of the robbers covered the unarmed citizens, while the others made a rush for the strong box. Two soldiers were killed and four wounded before they reached the place where the money was kept.

As they were retreating the soldiers fired a volley after the band, but succeeded only in killing two bystanders and hurting five others.

BOWDOIN, 9; TUFTS, 7.

In a close but ragged game of ten innings Bowdoin defeated Tufts yesterday afternoon on Tufts' oval, 9 to 7.

VICTORIES FOR STRIKERS; RIOT OF "BREAKERS"

Longshoremen Win Concessions from Shipowners; Non-Union Men Fight to Escape.

2,000 MEN REINSTATED

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, May 17.—Decisive victories for the striking longshoremen and a battle for liberty by scores of strike-breakers who wanted to desert their work at the White Star line pier to-day were to-day's features of New York's great labor war.

Michael Larkin, the largest employing stevedore in Jersey City, went to strike headquarters early to-day and signed an agreement to pay the longshoremen the new scale of 40 cents an hour for day work and 60 cents an hour for night work and holidays.

In Brooklyn, following the surrender by fifteen firms of stevedores yesterday, three steamship companies whose piers are in South Brooklyn surrendered to-day and signed agreements to pay the new scale. Nearly 2,000 men have been reinstated in Brooklyn at the new scale of wages and almost as many in Jersey City.

Battled for Liberty.

The White Star strike-breakers, who have been slaving night and day since the strike began, battled with the armed private detectives stationed on the pier to-day in an effort to escape. Weakened by long work, little rest and improper food, they were unable to batter down the line at the doors of the pier and they were driven back into submission.

The rush for liberty started when one of the strike-breakers, Angelo Philippo, collapsed from overwork, and was probably fatally hurt by the 100-pound case, which he was carrying, falling on him.

Sank Unconscious From Fatigue.

Just before the Celtic was due to sail to-day Philippo could do no more work, and he sank unconscious under theease he was carrying.

During the excitement the other strike-breakers seized the opportunity to escape and rushed for the great doorways. There was a short sharp fight in which the hired guards beat back the weakened strikers. Philippo was sent to St. Vincent's Hospital, where it was said that he had sustained a fracture of the right leg, and probably fatal internal injuries.

$52,000 LOSS IN PITTSBURG FIRE

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 17.—Fire originating in the blacksmith shop of Hook & Callan, early to-day, destroyed the shop and damaged the adjoining buildings. The total damage will aggregate about $52,000.

LAUNCH ASHORE, QUICKLY SAVED

CHATHAM, May 17.—The steam launch Loma, bound from Boston to Jamestown and thence to Florida, with two men aboard, went ashore on Chatham Bar shortly after 8 o'clock last night. Fly-aboard, as she was, to the severe buffeting of the heavy sea that was raging, but aigar the position of the boat was most precarious.

The Loma was sighted by a patrol from the Old Harbor Life Saving Station about half an hour after she went ashore. Captain Doane and crew immediately put off and after three hours of the hardest kind of work succeeded in floating the imperiled boat.

The Loma is now anchored on the inside of the bar.

BLOCKADE DUE TO STREET HOLE

A badly kept street claimed another victim to-day when a horse drawing one of the wagons of the Hugh Nawn Contracting Company fell in Devonshire street in front of the John Hancock Building, broke its leg and de'ased traffic for almost an hour.

Half a dozen policemen were needed to care for the traffic jam that resulted. From the postoffice to Franklin street there was confusion and delay.

J. J. Kenney, who drove the horse, said that the animal would not have slipped and fallen had it not been for the half inch of mud that had been allowed to accumulate upon the street.

SHOT HITS GIRL WALKING HOME

While returning from her work, Miss Sadie Cook, a handsome, twenty-two-year old Dorchester shop girl, was shot last night at the Welles avenue grade crossing by an unknown person, receiving a bullet in her ankle, and immediately sank to the ground unconscious. She was fast bleeding to death when a big St. Bernard dog, belonging in the neighborhood, came across her life.

Noticing the blood, the intelligent animal commenced barking loudly, and it resulted in several men hurrying to the spot. Picking the girl up, they carried her into the office of Dr. Brayton, where, in a few minutes, Miss Cook recovered.

She said that as she was crossing the tracks she heard the report of a gun and simultaneously felt a sharp, twinging pain in her ankle. Limping and lifting up her skirts for the purpose of learning the cause of the pain she noticed that her shoe and stocking were drenched with blood.

The police are of the opinion that boys are responsible for the accident.

Miss Cook, when seen at her home, 118 Lonsdale street, Ashmont, a few hours after, scouted the rumor that she might have been the target for a disappointed suitor.

MRS. FROHMAN BADLY HURT

NEW YORK, May 17.—Mrs. Daniel Frohman, better known by her stage name, Miss Margaret Illington, may lose two of the fingers of her left hand as the result of an accident. While coming out of Central Park at the Fifty-ninth street entrance her horse slipped on the wet asphalt and Mrs. Frohman was thrown.

ASTOR GIVES OXFORD $50,000

LONDON, May 17.—William Waldorf Astor, the self-expatriated American millionaire, has given $50,000 to Oxford University. The donation was announced last night by Lord Curzon, who issued an appeal on May 1, asking $1,250,000 for the anniversary. Over $235,000 has been contributed already, including Astor's gift.

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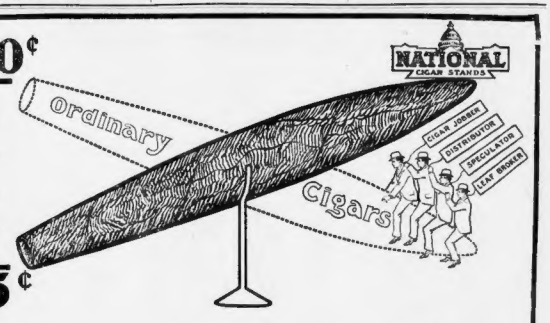

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NATION, STATE HONORS HEROES OF LARCHMONT

Rhode Island Governor Witnesses Presentation of Gold and Silver Medals.

LAUDS BRAVE RESCUE

Special to the Boston American.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 17.—Gallant sailors who risked their lives in February to save men, women and children who had escaped on a portion of a floating wreck from the steamer Larchmont when she was sent to the bottom of the Sound by the schooner Harry Knowlton, received medals from the United States, the State of Rhode Island and the Volunteer Life Savings Corps, in the presence of 600 persons in the First Baptist Church at Block Island last night.

Addresses were made by Governor Higgins several State officials and a number of prominent private citizens of Rhode Island.

Gold and Silver Tokens.

The addresses of the various speakers were of the highest order, each referring to the crews of the other vessels associated in the work of rescue, but especially meaffoning the men of the Elsie, including John W. Smith, master; G. Elwood Smith, Albert W. Smith, Harry L. Smith, Louis E. Smith, Earl A. Smith, Jeremiah M. Littlefield and Edgar Littlefield.

All these were presented with silver medals by State Treasurer A. Read of the Volunteer Life-Saving Corps, with gold medals by Senator Eugene B. Littlefield of New Shoreham for the State of Rhode Island and with silver medals by Collector of the Port of Providence George W. Gardner for the Government of the United States. The latter accompanied each of his gifts with a personal letter from George B. Courtelyou, Secretary of the Treasury.

Secretary of State Charles P. Bennett presented the engraved resolutions of thanks extended by the Rhode Island General Assembly to the crews of the schooners Elsie, Clara E. and Theresa.

Higgins Lauds Heroism.

But for one exception all the heroes were there to receive the honors. On account of the fact that he sailed to New York last Saturday, Earl A. Smith, one of the recipients and a member of the Elsie crew, was unable to be present, but he received the trophies and the certificate of honor through his brother.

Governor Higgins said, in part:

"I am proud of humanity when I recall the stirring tale in which those men were the leading participants on February 12, 1907. As we look upon them to-night we glory in our State and are happy to reflect that we live in a civilization which can and did produce such valiant and unselfish characters. Rhode Island delights in the opportunity to place the laurels of the brave upon their brows.

"I believe that the man who, at the risk of his own life, saves a fellow-man is even a greater hero than he who, at the risk of his own life, destroys a fellowman.

Rival Stories of the Sea.

"In the annals of New England there is, perhaps, no more splendid example than was witnessed within a radius of a few miles of this spot last February. If there be any tale of ancient or modern times more inspiring than the story of the Larchmont and the saving of the deckhouse victims, I have yet to read it.

STEPHENSON WINS SENATE

By Boston American Leased Wire.

MADISON, Wis., May 17.—Isaac Stephenson of Marinette was nominated last night by the Republican caucus to succeed Senator Spooner in the United States Senate, thus ending the deadlock which began nearly four weeks ago. The wealthy lumberman was chosen on the first ballot. His formal election takes place to-day at noon in joint session.

The victory for Stephenson when the vote seemed almost within the grasp of W. H. Hatton is due to Lieutenant-Governor Connor, who turned to Stephenson the votes of Assemblymen Goldsworthy and Wheeler. These men had been counted on by the Hatton forces to support their candidate.

DENOUNCES VERMONT FREIGHT CONGESTION

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., May 17.—Describing the freight congestion here as "a menace to Brattleboro tradesmen," the Board of Trade will hold a mass meeting to-night to discuss the situation on the Central Vermont Railroad. It is possible an appeal may be made to the State Board of Railroad Commissioners.

RUEF SWEARS SCHMITZ GOT $50,000 FOR STEAL

Confesses in Tears That He Sold Frisco Trolley Rights for $200,000—Near Physical Collapse.

By Boston American Leased Wire.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 17.—Abraham Ruef's latest confession to the grand jury is that he sold the overhead trolley privileges of San Francisco to Patrick Calhoun for $200,000 in cold cash. He swore on his oath that out of this bribe money he had paid Mayor Schmitz $50,000 for his official sanction to the secret sale.

Pale and broken, he was scarcely able to tell his story upon the witness stand. His voice broke when he confessed to the conspiracy with Mayor Schmitz. His eyes were swollen with tears as he told how Tirey L. Ford of the United Railroads had paid him the money out of his own hands. Tirey Ford and Abraham Ruef have since friend, and it burned his soul to bring this man to a sore judgment for his crime.

When he had finished with the United Railroads he nearly fell from his chair. Four grand jurors rushed to help him and held him until he could regain sufficient strength to stand alone.

Ruef Unable to Walk.

"My God!" said Grand Juror Coffin, "this is awful. I never want to pass through another hour like this."

Ruef stood in the Grand Jury room for ten minutes before he could trust himself to walk to the street. To testify further was impossible. His strength was gone and he was nearing a mental collapse.

The awful spectacle of a powerful man's breaking down before his eyes unnerved the jurors. Ruef appears again to-day.

"Please don't ask me any questions," said one of the grand jurymen.

Ruef's confession implicated directly Patrick Calhoun and Tirey Ford. It also involved, although to a lesser degree, William M. Abbott, a member of Tirey Ford's legal staff.

The confession was complete as to details. It outlined every step taken from the time the first money was paid to Ruef by Tirey Ford until the last payment had been placed in James L. Gallagher's hands to be distributed among the supervisors.

Would Force Schmitz to Resign.

The business men of the city are said to be trying to force Schmitz to resign to avoid further scandal in connection with the city's chief executive office.

A plan instituted by the allied corporate interests to remove the board of supervisors and create the personnel of the different commissions has been laid before Assistant District Attorney Heney and Rudolph Spreckels by a committee of three. The prosecutors took it that the committee spoke in the interest of Herrin, for they suggested a rehabilitation of the board with the aid of the indicted Mayor. The farcical conference ended without the accomplishment of anything definite. Mr. Spreckels denounced the scheme.

WELCOME FOR NETHERSOLE

Showing plainly the effect of her serious illness, which compelled her to cancel three days of her engagement here, Olga Nethersole appeared last evening at the Hollis Street Theatre and received a welcome so warm that she was compelled to respond to it with a little speech.

The play was her own version of "Adrienne Lecouvreur," in five acts, in which she was supported by Frank Mills and her own English company.

From the standpoint of artistic acting, only the second and final acts deserve mention. In the others Miss Nethersole's method, manner of doing her part, and the almost ghastly facial expression were neither artistic nor interesting.

The entire production was marked by a lavishness of costume and display which that almost made one forget the vain efforts of the players to speak the jargon which some unwise person must have told them was the real French pronunciation. No two of them spoke it alike, and frequently they forgot even to try to speak it.

In the second and final acts Miss Nethersole revealed her wonderful talents as an emotional actress. Could the play have been confined to these two acts, it would have been a genuine success.

To-night Miss Nethersole plays "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray," and for the two performances to-morrow "Sapho."

HOUSE TO SAVE BOYNTON BILL

At last the Boynton bicycle railway, which for years has been master plan in the mind of E. Moody Boynton, the venerable Haverhill inventor, appears about to become a reality.

Late yesterday afternoon the Massachusetts House of Representatives appointed Representatives Partridge, Bennett of Boston and Coffin of Newbury as a conference committee to patch up with the delegates from the Senate the deadlock that now exists over the tacking on of an amendment to the bill which was presented to the higher body of the State Legislature. This bill was had a long, varied course in both Houses this session. It was passed by the House in its original form sent to the Senate, where it was passed with an amendment tagged on. Later it returned to the House, where the Senate amendment was rejected.

For more than four years the white-haired inventor has been fighting for the charter and construction of the road that he, with a long line of followers, believes will remodernize the railroad traffic of the State. In 1904 a charter was granted to the Boynton Company, but before a sufficient amount of funds could be realized the charter had expired. To-day Mr. Boynton is ready to produce backers to the extent of $5,000,000 to put the road into immediate construction when the charter is granted.

WIRELESS SHIPS IN 100 YEARS

LONDON, May 16.—Sir Hugh Bell, presiding at the meeting of the Iron and Steel Institute, suggested that a contract for a ship with hardly any machinery or crew would speed across the Atlantic propelled by electric force generated by the Falls of Niagara and transmitted to the vessel wirelessly.

Such a forecast, the speaker declared, is no more incredible than the developments of the past century.

BOASTS HEALTH, HE DROPS DEAD

DES MOINES, Iowa, May 17.—"I am sixty-five, but sound as a dollar and good for at least eighty-five."

With the words still lingering on his lips James Hadfield, a pioneer of this State, testifying to-day as a witness in a civil action, gasped, slipped forward and dropped to the floor dead.

WIFE AIDS HIM GET BURGLARS

WATERLOO, Ill., May 17.—Assisted by his wife, Christian Wirth, a St. Clair County farmer, captured two armed men waited upon by a delegation of subscribers who had broken into his house, and then tied Mr. and Mrs. Wirth marched the captives two miles to Waterloo and delivered them to the sheriff.

Farmer Wirth surprised the nocturnal hero holding a white girl in prostrate victims and covered them with a shotgun wherever for many years. The guard as of the girl, it is alleged, sold her into bondage for a $50 fiance when no infera

CLAIM GIRL IS HELD AS SLAVE

RICHMOND, Va., May 17.—J. Keed Rawley, a Richmond attorney, has been arrested upon the charge of enticing a girl from her home in this city on the promise of marriage, and then selling her into slavery. The girl, who is but sixteen years of age, has been held in a house of ill fame in Baltimore for the purpose of prostitution, it is charged.

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Special: These $18 Suits For.. $15

Light and dark gray worsteds, fancy mixtures, club checks, fast color blue serges, black undressed worsteds and cheviots. Cut in single breasted styles with the smart long roll collar effect—linings are extra heavy and serviceable.

Special: These $22 Suits For.. $18

Hand tailoring holds good throughout—garments that are built to bring you back here when you need a new suit. The man who has decided to spend $22 or $25 for a suit will do well to look at these first.

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TROUSERS MADE TO SELL AT $4 . . . $3 — The exact qualities you will find selling elsewhere at $4. Seventy patterns in fancy striped worsteds—particularly in grays—black effects, blue serges.

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Like cut and various other embroiderings—good linen. Also the ties to wear with them—several distinctly new styles in different colors; each at 25c.

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Special: $15 Prince Chap Suits . . 9.75

Genuine $15 values that were bought in a way that permits us to cut the price practically in half. The suits are made of new nobby patterned worsteds of an excellent quality; style is double-breasted, with velvet collar on the coat. Plaited skirt with seventeen gores.

Tourist Ruching 19c

Six yards in a box—the regular price of which is 25c.—special at 19c.

SHIRT WAIST SUITS . . . 1.98 — Lawn waists, fancy trimmed with insertions of lace, forming yoke; full plaited skirt with lace insertions on front panel.

LAWN SHIRT WAISTS . . . 98c — Special pricing of a lot of waists that sell regularly at $1.50. Sheer quality of lawn with various patterns of Hamburg and lace insertions; 3/4 and full length sleeves.

Special: $5.98 Jumper Dresses . . . 3.98

Pretty flowered muslins in the daintiest of new colorings; neatly trimmed with bands of contrasting colors; skirt is a plaited style, with fold at bottom. A bit of shrewd buying makes possible a saving of $2 on these $5.98 dresses.

Children's Hats

THESE HATS . . . 1.79 — Leghorn or rough straw—trimmed with silk ribbon and pompon. $1.98 values.

LINGERIE HATS . . . 59c — More of those big 98c values; white lawn; bow in front; lace edged brims.

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Special offering of distinctly new shapes that are decidedly becoming. They are variously trimmed with wings and are practically the hats that other stores are selling at $5.

$1 Hand Bags - 69c

Eight inches, real seal leather, with riveted frame, new style handle, moire lining, small purse. $1 quality bought so can sell at 69c.

Women's Hosiery 15c

Good cotton, in plain tans and blacks—guaranteed fast colors—double heels and toes.

Women's Gloves

KID GLOVES . . 1.25 — Tans, modes, grays, white and black—two clasp.

LISLE GLOVES . . 1.50 — Milanese suede in the new shades of tan—sixteen button lengths.

Suits Young Men Want

SPECIAL: $12 SUITS AT . . $10 — Double and single breasted pure worsted blue serges, black thibets and the season's newest club checks and plain worsteds. Sizes 15 to 20.

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REVERE CLERGYMAN ACCEPTS N. H. CALL

Rev. Francis A. Foxcroft, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Beachmont, since August, 1897, has been called by the unanimous vote of the wardens and vestry of St. Luke's Church, Charlestown, N. H., and will leave his present position June 1. Mrs. Foxcroft's physician has urged a change of air, away from the sea coast. Within a year from the time Mr. Foxcroft took charge of St. Paul's it was freed from debt and the church membership has been largely increased.

TREE HALTS PLUNGE TO DEATH OF N. Y. MAN

TORONTO, May 17.—Newton Bennington, financier and horseman, who fell over a precipice 100 feet steep into a projecting tree, was rescued by James Calloway, a mining engineer, from his perilous position. Mr. Bennington soon recovered consciousness and was hurried to his home in New York.

VT. I. O. O. F. HAS $23,753.65.

MONTPELIER, Vt., May 17.—At the sixty-first anniversary of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellowship of Vermont, Calvin Andrews of Bennington, was elected Grand Master. The Grand Treasurer's report showed $23,753.65 in the treasury.

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HUB STATE ARCANUMITES VERY ACTIVE

Introduce Several Resolutions at To-day's Session of Supreme Council.

SUGGEST MANY CHANGES

To-day's session of the Supreme Council of the Royal Arcanum was called to order at 10 o'clock by Supreme Regent Howard C. Wiggin, and several matters introduced by the Massachusetts delegation were placed in the hands of different committees.

The first of these resolutions was one asking the Supreme Council to make the law more emphatic, which requires local councils to meet at least two times each month. Another Massachusetts resolution asks for further relief for members who have reached the age of sixty-five years. Still another Massachusetts suggestion is that the Supreme Council allow the local councils to refund the initiation fee.

The visiting ladies were taken on an (also historical) trip to-day, which included a visit to the State House. The committee in charge of the party consisted of Mrs. L. Keit of Allston, Mrs. F. S. Read of New Bedford, and Mrs. G. H. Wiley of Malden.

PRIZE CONTEST FOR NEAT YARDS

To encourage the residents of the North, West and South Ends in beautifying the exteriors of their homes and their yards, $100 in prizes will be given this Summer for the best results in ornamentation by means of plants, vines and flowers.

The North, South and West Ends will each have prizes of ten, eight, six, four, three and two dollars, to distribute through committees which have been chosen.

Those who intend to compete must notify the local committee before June 7. The committees named are:

For the North End—Mrs. Zelda Brown, Social Service House, 37 North Bennet street; Miss Gilman, Associated Charities, 342 Hanover street; Meyer Bloomfield, Civic Service House, 112 Salem street.

For the West End—Misses Goldie Bamber, Hebrew Industrial School, 89 Charles street; Caroline F. Brown, Elizabeth Peabody House, Poplar street, corner Brighton; Nellie F. Hill, Frances Willard Settlement, 24 South Russell street.

For the South End—H. B. Taplin, Hale House, 6 Garland street; Miss O'Rourke, Denison House, 93 Tyler street; Miss Beebe, Lincoln House, 80 Emerald street.

Meyer Bloomfield is general chairman.

DIED "PAUPER," LEFT $100,000

WORCESTER, May 17.—Joseph Annis, who died at Holden and was buried there March 18 as a pauper, is said to have left $100,000 on deposit in a Boston bank.

SOCIETY GIRLS BREAK STRIKE

ZANESVILLE, O., May 17.—Owing to a clash of authority between the matron, Mrs. Mary Jamison, and Dr. J. G. Holston at the City Hospital, and the consequent resignation of the matron, the entire force of nurses have gone on strike.

Eight of the society women of the city, who constitute the Board of Lady Managers, donned the caps of the nurses and went to work waiting on the sick.

PROBE ATTEMPT TO KILL KAISER

BERLIN, May 17.—An investigation has been started of what is believed by many to have been an attempt upon Kaiser William's life which occurred near Wiesbaden. A high-power auto was fired on between Ehrenheim and Halterheim, but the bullet went over the heads of the occupants.

Ten minutes later the Kaiser's car flew by. It is believed the shooter mistook the first car for that of the Emperor. A reward has been offered for the discovery of the man who fired the shot.

BURNHAM FACES FORGERY TRIAL

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, May 17.—Frederick Burnham, former president of the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance Company, who is under six indictments for forgery in the third degree will be placed on trial before Justice Grombeaus Monday. Burnham's brother, George, who was vice-president of the company, is now serving two years in Sing Sing for the same offence. George Eldridge, another vice-president, is also under indictment for forgery.

'PAUPER' WAS WORTH $100,000

WORCESTER, May 17.—Through a letter, received here by the authorities, it has just developed that Joseph Annis, recently buried here as a pauper, was in reality worth $160,000.

Annis was a veteran of the Civil war and had advertised for relatives to whom to leave his wealth. When the man died here it was thought he was without relatives or friends, and there was no hint that he possessed money.

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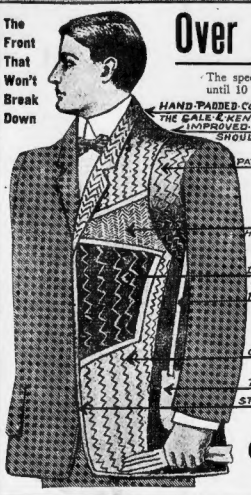

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POLICE SCANDAL IN GOULD CASE GROWS

BINGHAM, IN RAGE, ORDERS PROBE OF NEW YORK DETECTIVE DEPARTMENT.

NEW YORK, May 17.—Police Commissioner Bingham, angry clear through, banged his case on the floor over the Howard Gould separation suit to-day, and, in a voice that could be heard for blocks, yelled:

"I'm going to investigate, by gad sir! I'm going to investigate. And from what I understand from the situation now, if one certain gentleman does not resign from the police department instantly I'll kick him out soon."

Complaint has been made to him that certain central office detectives had quit working in searching for crooks and were employed in the effort to get evidence against Mrs. Howard Gould. Going on, the commissioner said:

"I wouldn't be surprised at anything I might learn as the result of this Gould case. I cannot conduct my investigation entirely in the open, but I want to get in touch with everybody who can give me the name of any detective on our payroll who has been working in the interests of Howard Gould or any one else.

"I will send for everyone who can give me this kind of information, and I will be thankful to learn all I can about it from any source."

Starts Investigation.

The commissioner has given orders to Captain McGinty, now in charge of the detective bureau, to leave no stone unturned to get at the names of the men concerned in the attempt to discredit Mrs. Gould. Captain McLaughlin, former inspector in charge of the bureau, will be closely questioned, and a complete report on all of the work which Detective Peabody is supposed to have been doing in recent months will be required.

Consternation struck the detective bureau when Bingham's order became known, because for years many a detective has picked up easy money doing private work on the city's time, and the order meant that this graft must stop. The Gould case may clean out the bureau.

"Big Bill" Hawley's Story.

"Big Bill" Hawley recently told a remarkable story of his dealings with Captain McLaughlin, growing out of the Gould case. He declared that Howard Gould and DeLancey Nicoll were trying to get from him information that Mrs. Gould had had another husband when she married Gould. Investigation has proved that any such assertion is absolutely untrue.

Hawley says that after he began suit McLaughlin's friendly, almost intimate attitude changed, and that he was warned to quit town. He went to New Jersey.

A friend of Mrs. Gould says that her husband has spent a fortune to try and get evidence so that he might be rid of her. She points out that the promise of $250,000 to a well known crook to concoct a bigamy story shows to what extent the Gould millions are pledged.

ARCHMONT HEROES GIVEN 3 MEDALS

BLOCK ISLAND, R. I., May 17.—Three sets of medals commemorating the heroism and heroism of the crew of the ocner Elsie, were awarded those gallant at last night at a notable gathering held the First Baptist Church.

hese medals were given by the State, ureau and by the United States life-ving crew and included in the awards e engrossed resolutions, which were en to each member who figured in the ue of the eight survivors of the ill-ted steamer Larchmont. Governor Higgi was present.

GIVE MISS CONWAY LAETARE MEDAL

Miss Katherine E. Conway, editor-in-chief of the Pilot, and the first woman in New England to receive the Laetare medal, will be decorated with that medal in Boston College hall this evening, before a company of distinguished members of the Catholic priesthood.

The Very Rev. John Cavanaugh, C. S. C., president of the University of Notre Dame which confers the medal, will make the presentation address. Archbishop O'Connell will introduce Father Cavanaugh and the Rev. Thomas J. Gasson, S. J., will read the address of acceptance.

TINY DEDHAM BOY TRIPLET PASSES AWAY

Both Little Girls of Trio Born to the Bronsons Do Well in Incubator.

LAD LIVED THREE DAYS

DEDHAM, May 17.—Despit every endeavor to keep them alive, one of the triplets born to Mr. and Mrs. John E. Bronson of No. 26 Sanford avenue, this city, died to-day after an existence of three days. The other two, both girls, are alive and being raised in an incubator.

Wrapped in woolen blankets, the two tiny girls are fed on milk and brandy every three every twenty-four hours, four times during the day and three times by night. The temperature is kept at from 85 to 88 degrees and Dr. G. S. Hosser, who is attending them, is confident that they will live.

The little boy, which died to-day weighed four pounds. The two girls weigh 4¾ and 5¾ pounds. Mr. Bronson is proud of the undended claim that they are the youngest children of a Civil War veteran in this country.

Mr. Bronson, the father, is fifty-eight years. Mina, his wife, is thirty-five years of age. They have been married six years and have one other child of four years. Mr. Bronson, who is employed as a watchman at the Boston custhouse, was married before and has two children by his first marriage.

GIGANTIC PLOT OF CHINESE SMUGGLERS

St. John, N. B., Hears of Big Combine in Which Bostonian Is Rumored to Be at Head.

Special to the Boston American.

ST. JOHN, N. B., May 17.—Startled by rumors that a new Chinese smuggling plot of gigantic proportions is under way, the United States Treasury Department to-day ordered that all revenue cutters along the Atlantic coast patrol the ocean for suspicious vessels.

A man said to bear a close personal resemblance to the fugitive Captain Colby of Boston, the alleged smuggler, is said to be here attempting to secure the services of a Canadian sea captain in another Chinese smuggling expedition. Three United States secret service men are following the plan and keeping watch of the suspected smuggler.

Immigration inspectors on the Vermont border have suddenly displayed unusual alertness. Two left for Swanton and it is said that the Boston & Maine, Central Vermont and Canadian Pacific freight officials here been requested to exercise great care in assigning box cars from points near the boundary. Rewards for the capture of contraband chinese are said to have been offered privately, and several merchants living near the border, who in the past have been suspected of complicity in Chinese smuggling, have been warned to assist from further activity in any way.

It is rumored that at Washington there have been received advices that there is to be an attempt made during the early Summer to rush in several hundred Chinamen now in Newfoundland.

A man can never understand a woman. Why? It is explained in next Sunday's BOSTON AMERICAN. A remarkable dissection of woman's peculiarities of temperament.

BRALEY CASE STILL MYSTERY

GRAFTON, N. H., May 17.—About the only conclusive evidence established in regard to the gathering bucket containing a quantity of quicklime and a foreign substance which was found in the woods about three miles from this village Tuesday is that it was placed there before the leaves began to fall in June.

Opinion is divided in the town as to whether or not the pail contained the body of little Edwin Braley, and it seems doubtful if a correct decision ever can be arrived at.

GERRISH MUST GO, SAYS MAYOR

Late yesterday afternoon, Mayor Fitzgerald announced his official approval of the action of Penal Commissioner Martin in discharging Mr. Gerrish. Deputy Perkins, also, probably will have to leave the island, but it is rumored that Dr. Taft will be reinstated.

Mr. Gerrish had been in the city's employ thirty years.

CHICAGO AFTER CONVENTIONS

CHICAGO, May 17.—A movement to bring to Chicago the national conventions of both the Republican and Democratic parties has been projected by the Chicago Commercial Association. The plan will be presented to the National Committees of both parties.

Charles A. Stevens, chairman of the convention committee of the association, says that the Commercial Association will assure the national committees ample funds to carry out both conventions.

JOHN L. WINS NEPHEW PARDON

WASHINGTON, May 17.—President Roosevelt has granted a conditional pardon to John L. Lennon, a nephew of John L. Sullivan, serving sentence at Governor's Island, for alleged desertion from the Marine Corps while in Cuba.

The condition is that Lennon re-enlist and serve the full term of four years, he having been dishonorably discharged. When Lennon was captured he had been absent three days.

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Women's Department

Prince Chap Suits $10 to $40

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Silk Suits $10 to $20

Shirt Waist Suits $8 to $20

Misses' Suits $10 to $18

A SYSTEM of selling clothing on credit which has stood the test of years with thousands of customers must possess elements of merit and strength. From those who have taken advantage of the system nothing but praise is heard, and their continued patronage is surely an evidence of their appreciation.

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Women's Department

Silk Waists $4 to $10

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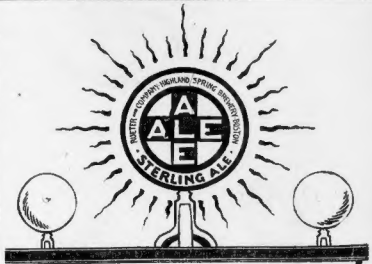

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The Girl Who Loses Her Temper Is Apt to Lose Her Friends

By Beatrice Fairfax

DON'T lose your temper.

The moment you lose control of yourself you are at a disadvantage.

Not only do you make yourself thoroughly disagreeable and unpopular, but you are almost sure to say things that on calm reflection you would "give worlds to have left unsaid.

It is so fatally easy to say things in the heat of the moment and so very hard afterward to do away with the bad impression they have made.

Shut your lips tight and hold back the angry retort; that is the only way to keep from saying words that you are certain to regret.

Some people seem to think they wipe the slate clean by apologizing. It is, of course, right that they should apologize if they have been in the wrong, but apology cannot take away the memory of the hurt.

Learn Self-Control

IT is all a matter of self-control, and self-control can be cultivated.

The bad-tempered person is unpopular; there is no doubt of that, and People don't want him around, and avoid him as much as possible.

As long as you are cheerful and happy you will be welcome on all sides, but if you are snappy and sharp of speech nobody will seek your society.

I remember a "barker" at the Pan-American Exposition who used to say to his audience, "Ladies and gentlemen, smile, even if it hurts you."

Most of us don't smile half enough. We are so busy looking for the hard, the bad and the disagreeable that we pass right by many spots of pure sunshine.

Try and be cheerful over your work. Have a pleasant word for everybody, and when the ugly little demon of temper enters your heart keep your lips shut so he can't get out to work trouble and mischief.

A Ready Apology

IF you do lose control of yourself and say too much, don't be niggardly with your apology.

You can't wipe out the hard words, but you can take away much of the sting by a full and generous apology.

Never be ashamed to say you are sorry. Half the sorrow and remorse in the world come from the false pride that cannot bring itself to express sorrow and repentance.

Remember that one peevish, disagreeable person can spoil the pleasure of an entire group.

If you can't go out with a party and be pleasant, stay at home. If you can't be pleasant in your conversation with your fellow-workers, keep your mouth shut.

Quickness is a hideous quality. It is quite as bad as bad temper, and more lasting.

Many a plain girl is popular simply because she is bright and sweet and has a pleasant word for all times and situations.

If you care at all to be loved you must be every inch courteous. Conquer the nasty, hateful feeling that prompts you to say unkind, sharp things.

Be true to yourself and kind to others and you will have hosts of friends.

Expert Advice on Health and Beauty

CLEANSING CREAM.

DEAR PROFESSOR:

Will you kindly give me the formula for some good cream for cleansing the face and also one for use on the face before coming in the sun and what? Will a cleansing massage cream be good to use before going out? E. S.

A CLEANSING cream is not suitable for massage, as it should be wiped off as soon as it has served its purpose of cleaning the face. For a cleansing cream melt four ounces of oil of sweet almonds with two ounces of white wax and when these are blended add slowly four ounces of orange flower water, beating until cold. Apply with a rotary motion of the finger tips and wipe off with a cheese cloth towel. The following skin food is good for massage and for putting on the face before going out. Melt together in a double boiler two ounces of oil of sweet almonds and two drams each of white wax and spermaceti. When well blended stir in a few drops at a time, two ounces of orange flower water, beating all the while. Beat the mixture to a cream till of sweet orange, beating until cold.

RED NOSE

DEAR PROFESSOR:

I am much troubled by a red nose and would like to know what will remove this redness. R. S.

A RED nose may indicate that your food is too rich, that you wear your clothing too tight or that something is internally wrong. Remove the cause first of all. Electricity will help to dissipate the redness, but should be given by a specialist.

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BAKED BERRY PUDDING

THREE cups flour, one cup milk, one cup sugar, one egg, one teaspoon saleratus, one quart berries, butter size of a butternut. Bake one hour.

OYSTER PATTIES

Two cups lard, one cup of water, two teaspoons of baking powder, half teaspoon salt. Mix like pie crust. Take a piece of bread and put inside of paste; then fold the crust apart, then put on the top crust, but do not pinch them together. Bake in a light brown in a moderately hot oven. This will make one dozen. While hot remove the bread and fill with cream.

CREAM FOR FILLING

One pint milk, boil and season with salt, pepper, and butter and thicken with flour to the consistency of thick cream. When boiled well, drop in one pint of oysters, do not cook after it is done; remove to back of the stove. Fill the shell and replace the top crust. Serve hot.

MRS. A. D. WANZER.

No. 341 Jamaica Plain.

TOMATOES FOR WINTER

FILL a large stone jar with ripe and perfectly sound, whole tomatoes, adding a few cloves and a sprinkling of sugar between each layer. Cover well with one-half cold vinegar and one-half water. Place a piece of thick flannel over the jar, letting it fall well down into the vinegar, then tie down with a cover of brown paper. These will keep all Winter, and are not harmed, even if the flannel collects mold. MRS. CHARLES W. PRATT.

No. 26 Summer street, Saugus.

BAKED MACARONI AND OYSTERS

BREAK in short lengths half a package of macaroni and put it into a pint of salted water, drain and put half into a well-buttered dish. Then put in a layer of oysters, one pint, with a dash of salt and pepper; add the rest of the macaroni. Rub two tablespoonfuls of butter with two of flour to a smooth paste; add two cups of milk; set on stove and stir until smooth; put cracker crumbs on top of the macaroni and oysters, then pour the warmed milk over and bake one hour.

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THIS catalogue contains between 400 and 500 of the very latest designs for ladies', misses' and children's garments, also illustrated lessons on the making of fine lingerie and baby clothes, including the various embroidery stitches now in use and the finer stitches employed in the finishing. Hand-made garments, to obtain this book send 10 cents in money or stamps to the BOSTON AMERICAN PATTERN DEPT., P. O. Box 250, Boston.

STUNNING NEW VEILS FOR STREET AND AUTO WEAR

The Three Smaller Photos Show the Newest Imported Street Veils. The Large Picture Is a Photograph of the Up-to-Date Hood and Veil for Motoring

Novelty Is a Hood Veil and Goggles Combined

THE veil still holds its own among those dainty accessories of dress so highly prized by the woman of fashion. In fact, some woman openly acknowledge that the elusive, filmy, dainty face covering so enhances beauty that it is no mere fad, but an absolute necessity.

The big, loose veils which fall from the hat brims seem to be given the preference. Some of them worn on the street look very much like automobile veils.

Here are five entirely new veils.

No. 1 shows a fine spot net veil with a narrow ribbon velvet border. It is correct for wear with a street costume.

No. 2 is a French ring spot net veil with a fine shaggy knotted border. It is especially stunning in black.

No. 3 is a new patent motor veil with goggles and hood combined. This veil is made of chiffon.

The hood is so peculiarly formed as to be held securely in place and is a great improvement on the old style motor veil.

No. 4 is a pretty gauze motor veil, which is more appropriate for short spins than the heavy hood motor veil. The borders are rich and silk woven with hemstitched ends. The veil is simply gathered about the hat brim and tied gracefully at the throat in a knot.

No. 5, a chiffon ring spotted veil, to be worn with dainty Summer hats, is as shown here. The frill is fluted and hemstitched. Ivory is a good color for this style of veil.

"THE HERITAGE OF HATE"

CHAPTER XX.—Continued

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"FINALLY she gained so much by the death—wealth, position for her husband, herself and her children, all in all, it is nothing! A tremendous motive to an ambitious woman already smarting under the lashing assaults which Francis Heath had poured upon her in those terrible letters!" His handsome features were flushed with the intensity of his emotion; his ardent dark eyes burned.

"No," he concluded presently, as though speaking to himself, "I am afraid there is no doubt of her guilt. It is an awful thing to think of, but justice for Alfred should be working out a life sentence in a convict prison.

"We can only pray that neither Pauline nor her brother" he pointed toward the inner room—"knows anything, or even suspects anything, of the dreadful truth. Heaven keep them from the knowledge if it be true that they should think their mother dead."

Mr. Jolly very wisely vouchsafed no word in reply. He was stunned at the blow, and knew it was best that he should hold his peace for the present. He felt some satisfaction, that it was perfectly evident that daily association with Elsner touched at the hospital had aroused no suspicion in the mind of Pauline as to her identity.

It was clear that Alfred Harding did not dream that he was already on terms of close friendship with the woman whose possible innocence he now coldly, yet strongly denied—the first Mrs. Heath, the woman the kindly little magistrate believed to be so cruelly wronged.

A Promised Revelation

"Do not be too hasty in your judgments, my boy," he said quietly. "I know something more of the Heath murder than your father. In fact, I have never lost interest in what has always been to me an unsolved mystery.

"But I have a feeling that the time for its solution is not far off. In this room—in the presence of her son—to-night the name of a man who could tell much of it was mentioned. The name was one I had almost forgotten for seventeen years, and how I later heard it twice in one week—sometimes and perplexed him always.

from two men—shrewd and interested men who seek to know something of him. To one I told all I knew. To the other I have said nothing.

"I feel that the knowledge he seeks is only for his own use and might harm those the other seeks to aid."

"I confess I do not understand you, Mr. Jolly," said Mr. Harding in puzzled accents. "Who sought this information here?"

"One man asked for it, and two men who might have answered him remained silent. You heard Mr. Nudd ask if I knew of a Mr. Arlett?"

"I did," replied Harding, "and who is Arlett?"

"He is the missing servant who seven years ago might have saved Claudia Heath from a living death, and the man who I feel knows more than any other person of the murder of Francis Heath."

CHAPTER XXI.

A Breaking Heart

DISK had fallen upon Deming place, the home of Justice Jolly, when a hurried ring at the doorbell brought his servant to the door.

A moment later he returned with the message:

"Sister Rachel of the hospital to see you, sir."

"Show her I am coming," was the answer. And he followed the servant.

"I do not know why I come to you like this," she said, agitation in her every movement. "You see, I have taken upon myself a great responsibility with regard to him," she added, with a faint smile. My reputation in the hospital is at stake. It is only with difficulty that I could find the right hour in which to come to you now.

Confession

She paused again, slackened her hurried, restless steps up and down the room. Then she stopped before him, resting her right hand upon the centre table. She had pulled off her gloves and he saw that her work-worn fingers trembled.

"You know how I think of the children," she said in a voice that was thick with dry sobs forcibly suppressed. "You are not a father; but your mere humanity is enough to teach you something a little—of what a mother must endure who stands forward for children in the position in which I now stand toward mine. I think of them all day, and at night I dream of them.

"I am eaten out with yearning for them. I have given her liked free—for him who was my husband. And that yearning, that wild, unconquerable craving drives me sometimes to the madness—I shall think it—of stealing down after dark to the home and looking in at the windows. I shall loiter around, waiting for my opportunity, and then perhaps a comfortable opportunity cannot help it. I am drawn by a power which I cannot resist. My heart aches so for the children; and, after all, what did I come here for? I set to be near them, and sometimes to see them? I ought, perhaps, satisfy myself with an occasional glimpse of them when they drive along Riverside. It would be more prudent.

"But that is not enough; it is like having only a thimbleful of water when one is dying of thirst. At the Heath windows, when I succeed in seeing them at all, I can look at them a longer time, can feast my eyes on them; and such a look becomes a sweet memory, warming my heart and brightening the days for many a week afterward."

TO BE CONTINUED.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox Answers the Query--- What Is Happiness?

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

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HAPPINESS, like beauty, is dependent upon the point of view.

It is impossible to describe a type of beauty which shall seem beautiful to all observers. It is impossible to describe happiness which will appeal to all natures.

Ideals of happiness change with the years.

The child wants bonbons and toys and the circus parade to fulfil his ideal. The college youth pants football, election to an exclusive college society, favor with the beauty of the season, and participation in all the galeties of his environment. Success in the arts, or honors for intellectual achievements, too, sometimes form part of his ideals of happiness.

The man wants wealth, fame, power and success in worldly ways.

The lover wants the favor of his chosen lady, and wealth enough to give her a becoming setting.

These are the every-day attributes of the happiness which the race seeks.

There are many types of men in the world, and to each type happiness presents a different face.

The explorer calls discovery happiness. Lieutenant Peary is an instance. He has had youth, position, love, domestic ties, popularity, success as a man to satisfy him, but the call of the undiscovered land was louder than all. To be ever on the search for the Pole means happiness to him.

Three Laws of Happiness

BUT absolute happiness is nothing which can be described.

It is a state of mind.

There is only one state of mind which, once attained, bestows continual happiness. It is not reasonable to expect the child, the youth, or the lover, to reach this state of mind until the beautiful dreams and golden desires of life's morning have been realized, or have vanished in the glare of noontime or the shadows of afternoon.

The state of mind which means enduring happiness should be sought by every adult man who has reached life's prime.

The first step is the consciousness that LIFE IS ETERNAL; that we have always lived and will always live in some sphere of the many about us.

The second step is to realize that just as we make use of this life, and this sphere, to develop the best within us, so will our chances of happiness increase here and hereafter.

The third step is to realize that whatever comes is meant as a means of development of character, and as there is no power which can destroy happiness for the comprehending soul.

The death of those dear to us will tear the heartstrings for a time. But with the knowledge of the Eternity of life, and the immensity of the Universe, we will be able to reach a certain exaltation of expectation in sorrow, which will lead to happiness.

The material things of life will be dear to us only as they serve as a means of helpfulness. Trouble and failure and disappointments will be regarded but as callisthenics for the mind and soul, and we will turn them to good use and grow strong to climb to higher ground.

The overcoming of our weaknesses and faults and unworthy tendencies will become an interesting experiment, and when we trip and go down again we will be more interested in our own ability to get up and go on than in the extent of the bruises we have sustained.

Worthy Aspirations

THE aspiration to be worth while, to be helpful, to be a progressive, self-reliant, God-loving and humanity-serving human being, that means HAPPINESS wholesome. And it means life again on this planet or others, with still greater capabilities and opportunities of happiness.

For as the great teacher Buddha said thousands of years ago:

"Laugh and be glad, for there is liberty. Ye who suffer, know that ye suffer from yourselves. Nothing compels you. Lower than Hell, higher than Heaven, farther than God dwells, before beginning and without end, as eternal as Soace, as sure as surety, is fixed a power which moves to good. Only its laws endure. What it has wrought is better than what has been. Slowly and steadily evolution progresses. Whoever serves it, Cease; whoever thwarts this power loses.

"Do right, it recompenses; do one wrong, equal retribution sooner or later must be made. This Power knows neither anger nor mercy. The Heart of it is Love, the end is Peace and consummation sweet; OBEY. Each life is the outcome of his former life. What you sow, you reap. Look not for the Supreme God, for no mortal eye shall see him.

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BAY STATE FAR IN THE REAR IN LABOR RECORD

Chief Pidgin of Bureau of Labor Declares Massachusetts Behind Other States.

ISSUES ANNUAL REPORT

That so far little has been done in Massachusetts in the way of industrial betterments as compared with other states with which Massachusetts is classed as being progressive in labor and industrial movements, is the assertion of Charles F. Pidgin, chief of the Massachusetts Bureau of Statistics of Labor in Part 6 of the thirty-seventh annual report.

"Changes in wages and hours of labor," says the report, "show a still further tendency for a shorter workday, the nine-hour day being substituted for the ten-hour day without changes in wages, and the eight-hour day for the nine-hour schedule.

"The weekly half-holiday during the Summer months has become almost general in the various industries and trades. The early closing movement, so thoroughly agitated for organized labor, made much progress during the year, from employees than formerly. Massachusetts has participated in the remarkable increase in wages which have taken place throughout the United States during the past year. The most pronounced increases have been in wages paid to employes engaged in transportation and in the textile industries.

"In the aggregate there were 317 new incorporations during the year ending September 30, 1906, the authorized capital stock being $42,750,900, of which sum $32,747,055 was paid in, the preferred stock amounting to $11,588,000. By industries, machines and machinery exceed all other industries, there being fifty under this classification with a total authorized capital of $5,128,000. Metals and metallic goods follow with forty-one firms as organizations incorporated, the authorized capital being $1,759,000. Boots and shoes with thirty establishments and authorized capital of $1,711,000 come next, leading ranks next in numerical importance, there being twenty with an aggregate authorized capital of $1,092,000.

"There were thirty-two manufacturing establishments incorporated during the year under the laws of Massachusetts to do business in other states. The amount of authorized capital stock of these companies was $5,808,000, amount paid in, $2,772,971; amount of property held, $512,500. Six of these establishments reported their home offices were located in Rhode Island, two in Connecticut, five in New Hampshire, four in New York, two in Pennsylvania, three in Vermont, two in Michigan, one in Maryland, one in Florida and one in California."

"Your sinning pastor is no better and no worse than you," said the Bishop—and a church is rent in twain. Startling conditions of society revealed by an unfrocked minister. In the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN.

HOLD REUNION AND ELECT OFFICERS

The 1903 class of St. Mary's Parochial School of Cambridge held their third annual reunion at the Langham Hotel last evening after the banquet which had been made by Fr. M. J. Dussy and Fr. W. J. Harris. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, John Dunnett; vice president, William Desmond; secretary, James McDonald; treasurer, Francis Meehan.

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WHOLE WORLD OF SPORTS COVERED FOR THE BOSTON AMERICAN BY ITS CORPS OF EXPERTS

SQUIRES CALLS OFF BOUT WITH TOMMY BURNS

By Boston American Leased Wire.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 17.—Bill Squires, the Australian fighter, has called off his bout with Tommy Burns, scheduled for this month, because of the latter's refusal to box.

"I will not fight any faker, or any man who mixes nothing in any fake deal," said the Antipodean.

Squires realizes that his first fight in this country may make or break his American career, and he wants it to be above the taint of suspicion.

It is likely that Squires will meet the winner of the Schreck-Hart bout, the mill to take place July 4.

DUFFY EXPECTS ANOTHER WIN FROM BRONCHOS

BATTING ORDER.

ROCHESTER.	PROVIDENCE.
Bannon, c.f.	Laird, 2b.
Hayden, r.f.	Claudbourne, c.f.
Maller, l.f.	Pelotte, l.f.
Clancy, 1b.	Abstein, 1b.
Lundy, 2b.	McConnell, 2b.
Lennox, 3b.	Conway, s.s.
Moran, 2b.	Donlin, l.f.
Doran, c.	Peterson, c.
McLean, p.	Killian, p.

Special to the Boston American.

ROCHESTER, May 17.—The Grays are now full of hope, and well they might be, for after losing a long string of games they came here and shut out the Rochesters in the opening game yesterday.

Hugh Duffy says that he thinks the men now have gotten into their proper stride, and he expects another victory to-day.

DUFFY AFTER NEW PLAYERS

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 17.—Manager Duffy has been given options on Storke and Sheehan of the Pittsburgs to take either man desired, and waivers have been received from all National League clubs excepting Brooklyn. President Ebbets of that club has refused to waive, but Manager Duffy thinks he will do so. It is probable that Sheehan will be the man taken if Brooklyn waives.

President Dox has a signed statement from Ebbets, in which the latter agrees to turn over Hummell to Providence at once, the consideration being $1,100 cash and one Providence player, to be taken at the end of the present season. But as this agreement was made with the proviso that Bowdgen get Sheehan from Pittsburg, and as Dreyfus will not agree, it is hardly probable that the Hummell deal will go through. Every effort is being made to induce Brooklyn to waive on Storke or Sheehan. The price put on the man to be taken from Pittsburg if secured is $1,000.

"TWIN" WON'T MEET KELLY

By Boston American Leased Wire.

LOS ANGELES, May 17.—Jack Twin Sullivan of Cambridge, Mass., and Hugo Kelly of Chicago, will not meet in a third battle as scheduled, because of the latter's unreasonable demands, Matchmaker Tom McCarey calling off the bout. Kelly said that he would not fight if Charley Eyton was referee, and he also said that he would not enter the ring unless he was given a $5,000 guarantee.

WILLIAMS IN RUNLESS GAME

Special to the Boston American.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., May 17.—In one of the most remarkable baseball games that has ever been played between Eastern and Western colleges, the Williams nine played a thirteen-inning scoreless game with Michigan. The contest was a pitchers' battle, in which Ortiz for Williams had a slight advantage over his opponent, Ford, allowing only two hits, both of which were made by Wadsworth.

SUBURBAN LEAGUE GAMES.

The following games are scheduled in the Suburban League for to-morrow: Allston A. A. vs. Riverside at Medford; Webster vs. Boylston A. A. at Marcella street; Gloucester vs. Groveland at Matta pan; Melrose vs. Atlantics at Atlantic.

EASTERN LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Rochester—Providence, 5; Rochester, 0. At Scranton—Salisbury, 2; Hudson, 0. At Toronto—Jersey City, 4; Toronto, 2. At Montreal—Montreal-Newark (rain).

N. E. LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Lowell—Lowell, 1; Haverhill, 0. At Lawrence—Lawrence, 3; Lynn, 2. At Worcester—Worcester, 2; Bedford (not scored).

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GUS DORNER CARDED TO FACE CHAMPIONS

BATTING ORDER.

CHICAGO.	BOSTON.
Slagle, l.f.	Tenney, 1b.
Tinker, s.s.	Chamberlain, c.f.
Schulte, r.f.	Barrett, l.f.
Evers, 2b.	Bates, r.f.
Sheckard, c.f.	Ritchey, 2b.
Steinfeldt, 3b.	Smith, 3b.
Kling, c.	Brown, s.s.
Overall, p.	Dorner, p.

It was more or less expected that the Cubs would come to the Hub and capture the opening game, considering the winning stride they have caught with all the pitchers going fine, but that would interfere with the Doves keeping after them in the second game this afternoon and through the uncertain turns of baseball hope to spring a surprise.

Looking the Cubs over as they played on the first appearance the outlook is decidedly gloomy for the locals to talk their purpose to take a majority of the games in the series, but it is again evident that nothing will be handed to the champs on a platter.

The Cubs have a way of rooming a pitcher along till they are ready to open up on him and then something happens generally to the pitcher.

The Cubs are playing at their top form batting up and rock battle with the Giants for the lead in the standing and as they are shy a game on their rivals are making up pretty swift at present. The Doves have got them to fighting when the scent is keenest and it will take some tall mustling to hold them down.

Gus Dorner being of the same kinship as most of the Cubs and fond of the sauerkraut diet should know what to feed the Dutchmen on if he is ordered to act as the dispenser this afternoon.

For the Cubs it is a choice between Orvie Overall, the Californian giant and the old pinwheeler, Chick Fraser. Either one is sure to be touched up lively by the Doves.

NOTES OF THE GAME.

There was never a chance for the Doves.

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Hank O'Day kept the players on the move and game from dragging.

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Bates was the only Dove to see second base.

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That outfield of the Cubs always seemed to be in the right place to queer hits.

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Dave Brain got a bit every time he faced Pfeister.

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Ananias should have been to the game. A ball came back from the big bleacher.

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That was an electrifying stop by Joe Tinker in the third, stopping Lindaman's rap over second with his glove hand and all in the same motion passing the ball to first.

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An instance of the Cubs' daring play was given by Chances attempting to score from second on a hit that rolled back of Brain.

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Pfeister had an object in making his safe crack second time up, as none one near the bench made a bet of $10 against him.

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Tinker took all the flowers when he pulled down Ritchey's drive over his head with his left paw.

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Pat Moran went after Needham's high one as if he was a spring stairway. The ball bounded in front of the plate and then took a perverse English, rolled foul back of the plate.

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Little Slagle made a slip up in running over second on a fly and not retouching the bag and was called out by the sharp-eyed O'Day.

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Lindaman eased up on Chance and gave him a nice straight one. Result, ball went over the fence.

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Pat Moran was there with the heavy stick work. He lifted the ball out every time and got two safe ones.

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The Chicago Nationals will be the guests of Manager A. J. Duffy at the Orpheum Theatre to-night. They have accepted the invitation to see a former baseball associate, William V. Thompson, who is appearing this week at the Orpheum with Madden, Fitzpatrick & Co. in a sketch, "The Turn of the Tide." Thompson was famous on the Georgetown nine a few years ago, later playing with the Washington Nationals and the Connecticut League. He is also a football player of some note, having played left tackle on the Georgetown eleven for three years.

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The unassuming and calm manner of Chief Operator Shannon when he returned foul balls batted in the grand stand behind the press stand excited favorable comment of the old-timers.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	21	8	.875
Chicago	17	11	.607
Pittsburg	16	11	.593
Philadelphia	14	13	.519
Cincinnati	13	15	.464
Boston	11	16	.407
St. Louis	9	18	.333
Brooklyn	7	19	.269

GAMES SCHEDULED TO-DAY.

Chicago at Boston.
St. Louis at New York.
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.
Pittsburg at Brooklyn.

GAMES YESTERDAY.

At Boston—Chicago, 7; Boston, 1.
At New York—New York, 5; St. Louis, 0.
At Brooklyn—Brooklyn-Pittsburg (rain).
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia-Cincinnati (rain).

COLLEGE GAME RESULTS.

At New Haven—Yale, 6; Lafayette, 3; 8 innings.

At Medford—Bowdoin, 9; Tufts, 7 (10 innings).
At Ann Arbor—Williams, 0; Michigan, 0 (13 innings).
At Burlington, Vt.—University of Vermont, 8; Massachusetts Agricultural College, 6.
At Springfield—Springfield Training School, 6; Bates, 2 (4 innings).

JAKE STAHL FOR BACKSTOP OF WHITE SOX

CHICAGO, May 17.—President Comiskey settled the question of where Jake Stahl is to be carded to play by announcing yesterday the latter is to be a catcher of the forthcoming Senators, whom he was ready to get into harness again. Jake caught for the Chicagos of Illinois one of the college days, and was taken on by the Boston Americans as a batsman, and with Criger in form and Carrigan reserve there was no room then in Boston for him.

With Stahl in, for the Nats can anticipate no neither for Sullivan or McFarland with less fear and Crossling, and there will be none of the hitsailing for catchers indulged in last Fall.

CUP PLAYERS IN PRACTICE

Announcement is made from Philadelphia that members of the American Davis cup lawn tennis teams will practice there, starting next Monday. Beals C. Wright and Fred H. Hovey have stated to play Raymond D. Little may go to Philadelphia, as also some other local player. William J. Clothier, who has been playing interclub matches in Philadelphia, doubtless will play against the cup candidates. On next Saturday there will be a match at the Aronoy Club in men's doubles, Wright and Behr meeting Alexander and Hackett.

MINOR GAMES TODAY.

New England League.

Haverhill at Lynn.
Brockton at Lowell.
Worcester at Lawrence.
New Bedford at Fall River.

New Hampshire League.

Manchester at Nashua.
Fall Manchester at Barre-Montpelier.
Concord at Burlington.

Eastern League.

Providence at Rochester.
Jersey City at Toronto.
Newark at Montreal.
Baltimore at Buffalo.

Connecticut League.

Norwich at Bridgeport.
New Haven at Springfield.
Hartford at Holyoke.
New Haven at Waterbury.

WHITTEMORE MADE 76.

P. W. Whittemore made a 76 at the Country Club's golf meeting yesterday, which is the lowest score ever made on the medal play day, the tournaments having been played Spring and Fall since 1897.

PILGRIMS IN FINAL GAME AT CLEVELAND

BATTING ORDER.

CLEVELAND.	BOSTON.
Flick, r.f.	Sullivan, c.f.
Bradley, 3b.	Parent, l.f.
Stovall, 1b.	England, 1b.
Lajoie, 2b.	Collins, 2b.
Clarke, c.	Gilhooley, c.f.
Hinchman, c.f.	Ferris, 3b.
Turner, s.s.	Virgil, c.
Hess, p.	Glaze, p.

Special to the Boston American.

CLEVELAND, May 17.—With two games already lost to the Naps, the Pilgrims will make an unusually hard stab for to-day's game, which is the last of the four series played on the Hub team.

Ralph Glaze, who has the best record of any of the Boston twirlers, will probably face the locals to-day, while either Rhodes or Hess will do the pitching for the home team.

The Naps won, 2 to 1, yesterday from the Pilgrims by sheer luck. Had not Englands, Ferris and Grimshaw allowed Turner's fly to fall safe between them in the eighth inning there very likely would be a different story to tell. In short, Young very likely would have blanked the Naps. Much credit of the three Boston players mentioned could have grabbed the fly, but if dispute simply becomes an open appeal as to who should take it. With Parent, Lajoie and Clarke, who carry, but twice, in all probability would have scored. Then Flick and Bradley have come along with his triple, but he would have stuck on third, as Bradley's long fly to Sullivan would have made the third out.

Good English from Unglaub.

Usually when an infielder gets under a fly that is not altogether in his territory he yells "I've got it." So when Englan in taking Stovall's skier in the sixth inning yesterday cried out, "I have it," he immediately enlisted the admiration of the purists. More good English has been heard at League Park since Boston has been here than in months.

President Taylor heard last night that Comiskey, of the White Sox, was about to make him an offer for Pitcher Tannehill. "Nothing doing," was Taylor's response. "We want to buy good pitchers; we have none for sale."

"They're talking about the 11 omens attending the attempt to raise the flag at Chicago," continued Taylor. "If you'll let me add 10,000 new rooters at regular prices, with the privilege of postponing the doings that will draw the crowd for a later date, I'll shoulder all the ill omens."

"Good English" and "good deal" are this Spring?" Freddy Parent was asked last night.

"Well, suppose I answer that by telling you something," said the dark-skinned little player from the Pine Tree State.

"One season, but Winter some hunters from New York stopped at my house on their way to the mountains. They left their spirit thermometer outdoors all night. How cold do you suppose it was next morning?"

"Zero."

"Exactly 42 degrees below. Maybe you can imagine how much this alleged cold weather affects me."

Barrett Hungry for Cheers.

Do you know that I am positively hungry for the sound of the cheers and the handclapping that used to come floating out to me when I would make a hickory catch," said Jimmy Barrett. "It's a fact, though. It's been so long since I've heard that wild 'Good boy, Jimmy,' that my soul feels half-starved."

"Lots of people ask me what particular victory in all my career on the diamond brought me the most joy," remarked Big Cy Young to a group of friends. "I can't recall another one of them to be compared with that game I won from Chicago here in Cleveland seventeen years ago, when I not only pitched, but saw my first Major League game. The people of Cleveland seemed to take me deep into their hearts that day, and I've felt ever since as if I had a sort of abiding place here."

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At Cleveland—Cleveland, 2; Boston, 1.
At Chicago—Chicago, 7; Washington, 2.
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DEXTER MAY NOT BE IN GAME

Things look decidedly blue for the Harvard nine as Captain Dexter, the mighty left fielder of the team, has tonsilitis, and the chances are that he will not be able to play in the game scheduled with the Princeton team to-morrow. Dexter, who is at present confined to his home in Brookline, says he will play if he can stand up, but the doctor will probably forbid it.

HARVARD TRACK TEAM OFF FOR NEW HAVEN

Harvard's track team will leave for New Haven to-day, where they meet the Yale men to-morrow afternoon in their annual dual meet.

J. F. Gutterson, who was expected to secure points for Harvard in the 440-yard event, will more likely be obliged to stay home account of a bad attack of tonsilitis, thus lessening the Harvard chances of victory.

The Crimson team is also handicapped, as Captain Minot, Dodge, Park and Van Hevin are all suffering from more or less bad colds.

At the first of the week the Harvard chances of triumph were their personal rivals seemed very rosy, but now they don't appear to be fighting, and it would be surprising to many followers of the Cambridge institution of learning if Yale as the most likely palaces on Yale's own stamping ground.

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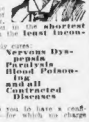
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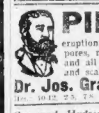
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Boston as a Way Station

The Mayor Is Very CHEERFUL About It—Are YOU, Mr. Business Man?

Boston is indebted to Mayor Fitzgerald for the first definite knowledge of the fact that the New Haven railroad is to absorb the Boston & Maine, and that Boston is to be a way station on the road that will connect the eastern part of New England with New York and the West.

The Mayor, having had a satisfactory conference with Mr. Mellen, appears very enthusiastic about the consolidation.

He makes known positively the fact that the Boston & Albany is to take the Park square station and that the city will have to spend some more money in order to make a terminal of the Park square station.

The city spent something like three million dollars to get the Boston & Albany into the South Station and to make of the South Station a union depot. NOW the city is to spend a few more millions, we presume, or possibly only a million or so, to get the Boston & Albany OUT of the South Station.

The tax-payers, fooled by the promises of the New York Central and of the New Haven road, cheerfully went down into their pockets and dug up three million dollars for a union station. We presume the tax-payers, relying upon some more promises by the New Haven road, will gladly go into their pockets again and dig up another million or two to separate the terminal facilities of the Boston & Albany and the New Haven roads.

We confess we are unable to share the Mayor's enthusiasm over this amalgamation of two of the three railroads upon which Boston is absolutely dependent.

The city of Albany is a fair illustration of what happens to a city that is changed from a railroad terminus into a railroad way station. In the old days when Albany was at the end of several competing railroads it was a busy and prosperous city. Now, goods shipped by way of Albany go through the city without leaving one cent for the merchants or workingmen.

Albany is no longer prosperous. For a considerable period after the amalgamation of the railroads which formerly had their terminus at Albany, the city actually lost in population.

Its business has never recovered from the blow. Troy, Schenectady and other cities in the vicinity have gone forward, but Albany remains stagnant.

The New Haven road has already, in spite of the denials of its president, practically absorbed all the electrical lines in its territory and has a virtual monopoly of the coastwise shipping trade of New England.

Mr. Mellen's denials that the New Haven road is consolidating with the Boston & Maine are just about as valuable as were his recent denials of the fact that the New Haven road was absorbing the trolley lines.

Although the facts in the case were printed time and again in reputable newspapers, Mr. Mellen continued to deny that such a consolidation was taking place or had taken place.

Mr. Mellen's promise that his railroad will spend sixty million dollars in Boston is probably just about as valuable as were his denials of the absorption of these competing companies.

If the business men of Boston are going to sit calmly by and see themselves placed in the grip of a railroad trust which will ultimately be managed from New York, if it is not already so managed, they must be prepared to take the results of that consolidation without wincing.

The business men of Boston helped the New York Central take the Boston & Albany away from this State. Are they going to sit still now and let the New Haven road take over the only independent, home-ruled railroad that is left in New England territory?

The Legislature is still in session. The united voice of the business men of Boston could not be ignored by that Legislature. There may still be time to prevent the consolidation, but past experience lends little hope to the thought that any united effort will be made to prevent the final fastening of this fetter upon the limbs of Boston business.

Christian Tracts for Jews Who Come to Boston

They Could Be Used Better in Russia or Roumania

Well-meaning Christians spend their money distributing tracts among Jewish immigrants who come to Boston. These tracts earnestly request the Jew from Russia, Roumania and elsewhere to join the Christian church at once.

No doubt the ladies and gentlemen who pay for printing these Christian tracts and distributing them MEAN WELL.

The tracts explain to the readers that, unless they become Christians, they cannot go to heaven or expect to live with a clear conscience here on earth. The Jewish immigrants are requested kindly to lay aside the faith that has controlled them for thousands of years and become Methodists, or Baptists, or Episcopalians, as the case may be.

While the good people who hand Christian tracts to Jewish immigrants from Russia mean well, they lack a sense of humor.

Our advice to them would be to send those tracts over to Russia and distribute them THERE. A few tracts sent to the Czar, the Grand Dukes, the police officials and the others THAT MURDER UNARMED MEN AND WOMEN IN THE NAME OF CHRISTIANITY might do some good.

Considering that the Jewish immigrants over here are hurriedly leaving Christian countries, WHERE CHRISTIANS HAVE BEEN MURDERING THEM, it would seem advisable to give them a few weeks to forget THAT before asking them to join the Christian church. Incidentally, they have come to this country, among other things, because they are supposed to be permitted to mind their own business here, and they expect to find other people willing to mind THEIR business.

They have come over here on the theory that they can believe anything they like, as long as they obey the laws; that they can select their own heaven and their own way of getting there, if they live according to the regulations which the United States has made for life on THIS EARTH.

Generally speaking, we would suggest that trying to convert civilised human beings in this country from one religion to another is more simple minded than desirable.

The Jew is the best judge of his own people, and he has a thorough contempt for the converted Jew. General experience shows that the man who hastily gives up the religion of his father and his mother, drops the traditions of his race, and of his people's history, is not apt to be a very valuable addition to the religion that he has joined for some reason pleasing to him.

As long as the Christian people in Russia and elsewhere in Europe are murdering Jews without reason we believe that kind-hearted people can save money by not sending any tracts to the Jewish immigrants. Send your tracts over to the Christian Czar, who murders women. HE NEEDS TRACTS.

WOULDN'T IT MAKE YOU AND YOUR FRIEND JOHN MAD—

I'M FREE AND INDEPENDENT, B'GOSH!
WE'RE THE GOODS
WE DON'T HACKNOWLEDGE No MASTER
WI SAY, YE KNOW, BRITONS NEVER WILL BE SLAVES, DONTCHERKNOW!

1.—After you had all your lives been claiming to be the most free and independent nations on earth—

THE TRUSTS DON'T WANT US TO BE ELECTED BY THE PEOPLE!
TRUST-OWNED UNITED STATES SENATORS
HIS MAJESTY DOESN'T WANT US TO BE INTERFERED WITH, DONTCHERKNOW
ANTIQUATED UNDEMOCRATIC HOUSE OF LORDS

2—If you found yourselves in this position? Wouldn't it give you and your friend John a CHILL?

THE GENTLE SEX

BY T. E. POWERS

I HAVE HERE, MADAM, A BOOK WHICH—
OH I JUST LOVE BOOKS COME RIGHT IN WHAT BOOK DID YOU SAY IT WAS
MY UNCLE JOE BOUGHT A SET OF BOOKS ONCE. IT WAS DARWIN OR MARK TWAIN OR SOME THING LIKE THAT.
I SEE THERE ARE PICTURES IN IT MY LITTLE BOY DRAWS PICTURES, HE'S AWFUL TALENTED, I BOUGHT HIM A BOX OF PAINTS FOR HIS BIRTH DAY
CAN YOU BEAT THAT
Y-A-W-UM!
IS THERE ANY POETRY IN IT? MY COUSIN IS A POET HE HAD A PIECE IN THE PAPERS LAST WEEK IT WAS ABOUT SPRING HE LEARNED TO POETIZE IN THE CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOL
I WROTE A POEM ONCE IT WENT LIKE THIS. INFINITY IS SO IMMENSE 'TIS FAR BEYOND OUR KEN WHO KNOWS HOW FAR IT IS FROM WHENCE TO HERE AND BACK AGAIN
THATS CRIMES SOME
O WHATS THE USE
COME AGAIN I JUST LOVE TO TALK TO LITERARY MEN

THE TALKATIVE BOOK AGENT MEETS HIS WATERLOO

Sidewheel Tim

BY WEX JONES

THE kids all called him Sidewheel Tim—he'd lost an arm, you know—
And in their rough-and-tumble games he didn't have a show.
He'd sit upon a doorstep and watch the Terrors play,
And when they licked the Topsies he'd go just as wild as they.
But sitting in the bleachers is a mollycoddling thing
When all one's friends are in the game and balls go zip! and zing!
So Tim he kind of took it hard—he only had one arm—
Till his troubled, watching mother shipped him to his uncle's farm.

GEE! what a time that youngster had out of the dusty street,
Into the open country air, to play and sleep and eat;
With real grass to run on and easy trees to climb

And dogs and cows and horses—gee, what a bully time!
And when Tim found his uncle had once pitched Big League ball,
They practiced every curve he had till Tim was next them all.
So when he left for home again his mother was in doubt
That this could be her boy at all, so ruddy-faced and stout.

RED PATSY was in trouble; his pitcher wasn't there,
And if the Topsies won this game they'd lead the League for fair.
Yelled a jeering Topsy rooter: "Put in your Sidewheel Tim."
And Paisy, most despairingly, said: "Guess there's only him."
That game—'twas just as slaughter, with Tim all there and fit;
He struck the Topsies out like flies, and never gave a bit;
And all throughout the Asphalt League, since that immortal game,
It's Sidewheel Tim no longer; Young Mathewson's his name.

Helps for Housewives

IT is easier to bring up children in an elevator apartment.

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A novel and delicious breakfast dish is fried ham and eggs. It costs nothing beyond the price of the ham and the eggs. To prepare: Fry the ham and fry the eggs. Eat.

Dinkelspiel on Selecting a Wife

By George V. Hobart

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HOME—TO-DAY.

Wein Lieber Looey—Ve haf receifed your leiter from Detroit, und ve vas glat to hear it dot pitgness vas good mit commercial traveling, und dot your health continuations to be plausible.

Your mother informations me dot twice a week regular you write a letter to Bauerschmidt's daughter, Amelia.

Such is a nice iden, Looey, und I suppostion dot soonest or latest you vill took Amelia by der elbow und rush mit her up to a minister.

Neferderleast, vile ve vas on dis supcheckt, I dink your father should gif you some advice on dese matters, yet.

Neferfail in luff in a hurry, Looey, because, like der inimitable proverb of der ancient Greeks, "To get in chail is easy; to get outd is annoying."

Und before comes der last final moment, ven der yord is spoken vich means wedding invitations or a suit mit britches of promise, you should stop und figure it outd haf you selected der right girl.

Many a man has lost all dot makes life happy und sweet und chuyous because he married mitoutd finding outd had der girl enough money to support beth.

Many a fair young man, perhaps der pride und choy of two or three doteful parents, has chumped into der sea of matrimony und froze to his death in his Icy Yaters vile waiting for a check from der cruel father-in-law.

Ach, Himmel! Looey, a opstinate father-in-law mit a padlock on his check book has done more to put frost on der holy bonds of matrimony den all der udder evils compined.

Day after day bright und intelligent young men put fair und luffly young vimmen in borrowed benzine buggies und rush dricking away to a cheap minister in der suburbs.

Den der happy couple sits patiently in der parlor or der village tavern, vaiting for papa's telegram vich vill say: "Come home at vunce, everyding is forgifen und ve vill all valk togedder to der Fairst National Bank in der morning."

But, alas! no telegram arrivals, und der veary bridegroom sits dare und vill not be comforted because dare is nudding in sight to live for eggsceptyork, york, york.

Und remember, Looey, alvays marry a voman smaller den yourself, because discretion is der better part of valor.

Alvays marry a voman vich knows a good choke vun she sees it, but it ain't necessary for her to tell you vhere choke it is ven you make it.

Don't der trouble mit some peoples. You make a fine choke und dey laugh uproariously, und bimeby, ven dey get dair breathe back, but still holding vun hand on deir side, dey say: "Dot ain't dot funny! und so originality! I always liked dot choke since der fairst time I read it in Mark Twain's book."

Vy not laugh und let it go at dot?

Amuder ding, Looey, ven you marry a voman let her be a philosopheress, because if you should happen to lose your check dare vas nudding so nice to haf around der house as a philosopheress.

Ven she can sit dare py der hour und tell you vot you could do mit your money if you had it.

Always, Looey, always marry a voman mit health und a large, broad appetite. She should eat cheap in her heart und room next to it for efery dish dot grows in der kitchen.

It is so distressful for a pleasant chentleman to sit at der table mit a small, timid beetle vife und haf her throw der plate of hot spaghetti ould der dining room vindow ven least eggspected to.

If you vant ould valking, Looey, mit a young lady und you should slip on a banana's cracket, vatch her closely.

If she don't giggle marry her at vunce. She has self-control.

But, Looey, dearest mitunterstoot your father's motives und dink dot I vish you to marry all dese vimmen.

Forbe it.

Der idea is, Looey, to find a girl vich contains as many dese virtues as possible, den yell for a minister.

I doan'd know vare you will find such a angel, but mit diligence, as der ancient Romans used to make it.

Below Bauerschmidt's daughter has dese qualifiicationments.

Meebe she ain't.

Dere only vay to find ould is to save up your money und marry her.

You haf my willingness.

Yours mit luff, D. DINKELSPIEL.

(Per George V. Hobart.)

Little Editorials from the People

DOES THE HOOSAC TUNNEL BELONG TO THE STATE?

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

When the Boston & Maine leased the Fitchburg railroad and secured the Hoosac Tunnel from the State, for a song, the honest (?) legislators who did Murray Crane's dirty work in voting for the lease and single handed their action by saying that the Boston & Maine was a Massachusetts corporation and the change would give patronage along the line of the Fitchburg road far better service than had ever been offered by that road as an independent line.

Now, it seems probable that the New York, New Haven & Hartford road will get the Boston & Maine in some form, and will also control the Hoosac Tunnel. This New York road is not a Massachusetts corporation, but is a first cousin of the New York Central.

What we want to know is this: Was the sale of the tunnel illegal, and, if so, why is not this the time for Massachusetts to regain her own? We have seen what a New York corporation has done to wreck the once splendid Boston & Albany railroad, and if there is a way to thwart another greedy New York corporation, by eliminating the Hoosac Tunnel from any sell-out scheme of the Boston & Maine, should not something be done about it right away?

Boston.